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Uncle Tom Edwards, one of the oldest citizens of the county, residing a few miles from Dahlonega, was in the city last Thursday. Uncle Tom said if he lived to see next February he would be 83 years old, was enjoying very good health for one of his age and felt thankful that his life had been spared so long, with but little sickness and pain. This old man made about a 100 bushels of corn with his own labor this year. He has been here a long time. Uncle Tom came to Dahlonega from Monroe county, Tenn., on March 29th, 1835, while they were clearing off the ground for the present court house and has resided in the county ever since. He can remember only a very few persons alive now that were here when he came to Dahlonega. Mr. W. R. Crisson is one of them. The jail then stood on the corner of the vacant lot adjoining the one Mr. Hughes Moore lives on. Samuel King was sheriff and Milligan Quillian was clerk of the court. Uncle Tom said that he remembered well the very day that Uncle Archie Wimpy landed in Dahlonega. He came from Hall county where he had been following school teaching. Mr. Wimpy wore a short round about coat, not worn these days. He went to clerking in the store for a man named Pinchback. Pinchback melted up a whole lot of brass, sold it for gold and had to leave out. Mr. Wimpy continued in the mercantile business at the same stand almost continuously until his death a few years ago. Uncle Tom can tell many things about Dahlonega years ago that are of much interest to those that have grown up since.

The Time of Year.

This is the time of year for our people to begin to cast about and make their arrangements for another year. Some will, of course, move from where they have lived since the close of 1902. Some have bought homes, and some will run on the rent plan again. Some will engage in one pursuit and some another. Some will clear something from their year's labor and many will come out behind and will have to make a new start from the bottom, so to speak, next year. Let that be as it may, take new courage, strike with a greater determination to succeed and a degree of success will attend you. Amidst it all, believe you are in the best country and amongst the best people in the world.—Walton News.

Our friend Mr. Grant Woody, who runs such a good hotel across the Blue Ridge at Qubec, Ga., was in the city last week. Mr. Woody was on his way to Gainesville to get a lot of Rainbow Trout for his pond, donated him by the government. The telegram noting the arrival of the car containing them, didn't reach him in time and he was two days behind and missed his fish. Mr. Woody has a nice hotel where a number of lower country people spend the summer and drink from the spring, water that is as cold as ice, and dine at a table supplied with the best the country affords.

The latest craze in New York among the very wealthy men is an extravagant style of invitation card. Not long ago the wife of a millionaire ordered 200 of these from a local firm and they cost her just $10 each. The cards were made of ivory edged with gold, the name of the guest and hostess being lettered in gold on one side, the other hand pointed. Cards at $5 each are quite common.

The Poor Man and the Church.

There seems to be a disposition on the part of many of the churches of the country to disregard the spiritual welfare of the poor man in favor of the rich.

It is unfortunate but true.

Men and women of wealth and so-called refinement dominate the great majority of the houses of worship, with the result that the poor working man is gradually becoming forced to the conclusion that he is out of his element and not wanted.

Many of our ministers, while well meaning perhaps, preach to the higher social set and forget that a heart beats in the breast of the poor man in shabby clothes who occupy the back seat.

If he makes his appearance at the social affairs he is looked at askance and made to feel his inferiority. When a woman in fine raiment passes him, she gathers up her skirts in fear of coming into contact with one of the "common people."

And what does the poor man do?

After receiving a few of these rebuffs he comes to the conclusion that there is no place in the house of God for him, and remains away.

And where does the fault lie?

With the minister and the rich man. With the minister, because he fails to use his position to bring about a better feeling of christian spirit between the two extremes. With the rich man because of his presumption in considering himself above a man who is honest but poor.

The house of God should be a place of refuge for all people, and the soul of a poor man should be cherished as much as the man with his millions.

Banish worldly ideas when you enter the church, and remember that God never judges a man by his dollars and cents.—The Forest Blade.

Profits in Pecans.

Regarding the profits in pecan-growing a Texas authority is quoted as follows:

"Pecan-growing is no get-rich-quick scheme as far as the quick part is concerned. Riches are there, however, and they come slowly but surely. This industry is as near getting something for nothing as ever happens on this earth. You can attend to any other business you happen to be engaged in and the pecans will still grow. It is not necessary to sit on the fence and watch them. They will grow, of course, if you do that, but they will also grow without it. Fertilizers help them, but are not necessary. It takes a very small sum to start a pecan orchard—very much less than it would to start any small business—and though the returns are slow, they are absolutely certain. Pecan growing is the very best of life insurance. Your trees keep growing and yielding after you are dead and your children reap the fruits of your labor. If you are insured the insurance companies reap the fruits of your labor. This kind of an insurance company cannot fail, for it has Mother Nature back of it. Nine trees in an acre will cost $10 per tree, with no other expense except protecting the trees from injury while growing, and the yield of such an orchard will endure and increase long agter you are dead."

There are already six prospective candidates for clerk of the Superior court of Lumpkin county.

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If you have anything to sell, never allow yourself to argue that there is no need of advertising. Your friends, even, after awhile, won't ask if you keep certain articles.

They become tired of continually asking what you have in your store and gradually drift over to your progressive competitor who persistently and continually advertises.—Rome Tribune.

Farming does not necessarily mean drudgery and ignorance, as many interpret it but it is a science and the world is fast coming to consider that to be a good farmer is an honor. We have frequently alluded to the tendency of young men to leave the farm, perhaps making the mistake of rushing off to the large cities to make fortunes. They have heard of some farmer's boy going to the city and becoming a partner in a store and after a while becoming the head of the firm and they will go and do likewise. But where one has left the farm and succeeded in city life many have gone down to poverty or worse.—Marietta Journal.

We have been receiving letters from persons aspiring for state house offices, requesting us to give notice of the fact and send them a copy of the paper containing same. Send us a little greenback or silver, then it will strengthen the cause and you will be sure to see your name in the NUGGET. Dailies have been eating the campaign cream in this respect and weeklies getting nothing but clabber and we are getting tired of it. It's got so that clabber won't stick to our stomach.

Send Us Your JOB WORK.

CITY DIRECTORY

SUPERIOR COURT.

3rd Mondays in April and October. J. J. Kimsey, Judge, Cleveland, Ga. W. A. Charters, Solicitor General, Dahlonega, Ga.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

John Huff, Ordinary.
John H. Moore, Clerk.
James M. Davis Sheriff.
E. J. Walden, Tax Collector.
James L. Healan, Tax Receiver.
V. R. Hix, County Surveyor.
Joseph B. Brown, Treasurer.
D. C. Stow, Coroner.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

R. H. Baker, Mayor.
Aldermen: E. S Strickland, J. E. McGee, F. G. Jones. J. W. Boyd, T. J. Smith. W. P. Price, Jr.
Wm. J. Worley, Clerk.
Geo. W. Walker, Marshal.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

Baptist Church — ——————, Paster. Services Sunday at 11 and at night. Prayer meeting Thursday night.

Sunday School at 9 o'clock.

Methodist—Services every Sunday at 11 and at night. Rev. J. D Turner, Pastor. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.

Sunday School at 9 o'clock.

Presbyterian—Services only on 1st and 3rd Sundays.

D. J Blackwell, pastor.

Sunday School 9 a. m.

MASONIC.

Blue Mountain Lodge No. 38, F. & A. M., meets 1st Tuesday night of each month.

R. H. BAKER, W. M

K. of P.

Gold City Lodge No. 117, Dahlonega, Ga, meets in their Castle Hall, over Anderson & Jones' store, the first and third Mondays in each month at 8, p. m. All visiting brothers who are in possession of the S. A. P. W. are hereby cordially invited to attend all meetings. W. W. Crisson, C. C., W. E. Ricketts, V. C., D. J. Blackwell, P.; D. C. Stow, R. R. & S.; F. M. Meaders, M. of F.; Wharton Anderson, M. A.

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AND REAL ESTATE AGENT,
Dahlonega, Ga.

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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, DEC. 3, 1903.

Enetred at the Dahlonega, Ga. P. O as Second Class Matter.

Official Organ of both City and County.

Eggs are worth 26 and 27 cents a dozen in Atlanta.

Eggs are selling at 50 cents per dozen at Boston, Mass.

The South Georgia Conference will meet at Quitman next year.

United States Senator will be tried in Omaho for accepting a bribe.

Grover Cleveland states that he will not be a candidate for president.

Seventy-three persons have been killed and injured by the football this season.

The Atlanta Journal states that last Friday was the coldest day this early in sixteen years.

Hon. H. J. David, residing near Maysville, Ga., killed a hog the other day weighing 438 pounds.

At St. Petersburg the other day many coffins were torn from graves on account of the heavy flood.

Eli Tucker of Panta Gorda, Fla., froze to death in a cart one night last week at Savannah, Ga., while drunk.

The Educational Association will be held in Atlanta, commencing December 31st and continue for three days.

Bro. Craig, of the Gainesville Eagle, has hold of one end of the porhibition single trees of that city and is pulling all he can.

"Prof." B. W. Thompson, the colored school teacher at Valdosta, who was convicted of padding his rolls, was given three years in the penitentiary last week.

It takes too long to dispose of the average murderer in this state. we think something should be done about it. They should have a fair trial but it ought to be a speedy one.—Darien Gazette.

Another crank got near enough to President Roosevelt while he was in New York the other day, to hand him a letter. This time it was a woman, who was arrested and carried away at once.

A negro women living near Culloden, Ga., fell in a 60 foot well the other day, which wound up her journey on earth, and she has gone to that place prepared for her almost unrecognizable.

A. M. Carter, who has been serving out a sentence in the U. S. prison at Leavensworth, Kan., has been given his freedom, and it is said that he will now take charge of a mine out west for his rich uncle.

Judging from the tone of the Atlanta press the people of that city are not enjoying the refrigerating cars run there by the Georgia Railway and Electric Co., and are raising a big kick, because they do not heat them up during the cold weather.

A special term of the Cherokee Superior court will be convened at Canton to try Will Archer, Will Taylor and Luther Dowda, the three young men who are charged with the murder of Mrs, Ann Holscombe and her daughter a few weeks ago.

On account of the popularity of two Cooper brothers of Athens, it required six policemen to carry one of them to the lock up in the city of Atlanta the other day. Had it been some poor person one would have done the work with the assistance of his club.

The citizens of Atlanta have raised a sufficient amount of money for that city to have an exhibit at the St. Louis fair. Hurrah for Atlanta and her public spirited citizens. If the citizens of other Georgia cities would take such an interest in public enterprises it would add a great deal more to her prosperity.

ACTIVITY AT THE JOSEPHINE.

New York Capital to Develop This Great Property. Stamps to Drop Right Away. Great Mill For the New Homestake.

The last two weeks have witnessed great activity at the Josephine mine. Several of the principal officers visited the property and inspected the work being done by Capt. Jaquish, and later the president of the Mining and Development Company of Wall Street, New York, came down and spent some days going carefully over the property.

Recent developments have demonstrated what Capt. Jaquish has always contended since he left the great mining camp of the west, and cast his lot in with the miners of this district, namely: that the Joshphine is one of the greatest mines in the world.

The Summerour vein—one of the minor ore deposits of the Josephine, has been opened up showing a four foot face of $23.60 ore from a newly discovered shoot on the same hill nearby. An ounce of gold was taken from a hole less than eighteen inches across and about the same depth at the outcrop. This means ore of fabulous value. The shoot is being followed up and Captain Jaquish expects to open up another Shotgun vein or something even richer.

It will be remembered that the Shotgun vein, on the sume property, is one of the richest veins in the state.

It has been determined to commence working the Summerour vein at once and machinery will be on the ground by next week to put the company's mill in operation. Ten stamps will commence dropping right away and the remaining batteries will be put in position and others added as rapidly as possible. Preparations for hydraulicking the big low grade saprolite deposits will continue without interruption and the outlook is encouraging to the whole district.

It has long been known that this district has greater and richer deposits that the Alaska, Treadwell or the Homestake, and it seems that Capt. Jaquish is about to make a practical demonstration of the fact.

Mining Notes.

The clean-up at the Ingersoll & Crisson dredge boat in the Chestatee river last Saturday, was satisfactory.

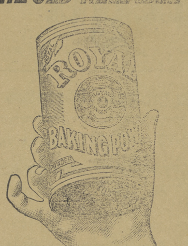
Mr. William Etres of White county, owning valuable mining property in that section, was in Dahlonega a short while last week. He has sold his mine to a party of five men from Philadelphia for a good sum of money, most of which has been paid down, so we are informed.

Manager McAfee hoped to have the stamp mill at the McAfee-Lind Gold Mine running by this time, but has been unable to do so on account of a delay in a portion of the machinery, the stamps, we believe. However, it will not be long until it is in active motion, separating the gold from the rock of that splendid gold mine.

General Manager J. T. Miller of the Briar Patch Mine, went up to see the Jumbo Mine last Monsday. Upon his return we asked him if he thought that we had exagerated in the least bit about this wonderful mine in our reports. His reply was, "You have not." We have been very careful not to misrepresent any property. We want the people to see it as good as represented, if not better.

A very rich vein has been discovered on the Turkey Hill property by Messrs. W. T. Bryson and Sam Taylor Teal. Mr. Bryson had some of the ore with him while in Dahlonega the other day, and the yellow mettle was on it and through it in streaks as large as broom straws. This is no surprise to the natives however, as they all know that Turkey Hill is no second-class gold mine by any means.

THE OLD RELIABLE



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THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE

Three negroes were lynched near Relcher, La., last Tuesday, caused by the shooting of Robert Adger.

Early Sunday morning a safe in a large Savannah department store was dynmanited and $1,800 secured. No arrests.

Sheriff James M. Davis says the pressure has been so great for him to run for sheriff again that he expects to make the race and will announce in due time.

Rev. J. S. Key, bishop, at the annual conference at Sandersville Sunday, took a strong stand against mob law. A person who has had no relatives outraged can afford to do this.

A fifty cents watermelon case has been carried to the Supreme court on a pauper's affidavit from Wilkes county by James M. Pitner, attorney for W. P. Harper against R. Richards, who is charged with stealing this wonderful melon.

J. A. Booth, aged 78 years, of Logansville, and Mrs. S. A. Tommey, of Stone Mountain, aged 62, wedded last week. It's no use to "wish them a long and prosperous life" for they have already reached the age, and as to their financial condition it doesn't differ.

After nearly a week's trial in the case of the state vs. Mrs. Onie Tanner, in Hall Superior court, charged with poisoning her husband, the defendant was acquitted. The evidence seemed to be pretty strong against Mrs. Tanner but the jury viewed it differently and and gave the woman the benefit of the doubt.

Mr. A. J. Ash, one of the most prosperous farmers in Lumpkin county, while in our office last Tuesday said that he was done voting the republican ticket. He says that he is a white mans republican but can't afford to vote such a ticket as long as men like Rucker is holding an office that should be filled by a white man. Mr. Ash is right, and we hope he will become a democrat yet, for this party giyes no offices to negroes.

HEALTH

"I don't think we could keep house without Thedford's Black-Draught. We have used it in the family for over two years with the best of results. I have not had a doctor in the house for that length of time. It is a doctor in itself and always ready to make a person well and happy."—JAMES HALL, Jacksonville, Ill.

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No Doctor

is necessary in the home where Thedford's Black-Draught is kept. Families living in the country, miles from any physician, have been kept in health for years with this medicine as their only doctor. Thedford's Black-Draught cures biliousness, dyspepsia, colds, chills and fever, bad blood, headaches, diarrhœa, constipation, colic and almost every other ailment because the stomach, bowels liver and kidneys so nearly control the health.

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The little Satterfield child, who has been at the pauper's home for five years, has been taken out by one of its brothers, Thias Satterfield, since its aunts confinement in the lunatic asylum.

The Sullins property was sold at sheriffs sale here last Tuesday by Mr. A. Whelchel of Hall county. Mr. Whelchel bid off one lot at $80 and Mr. J. F. Moore got the other for $50.

We had hoped that the Dahlonega and Dawsonville telephone line would be completed by the 25th of this month so we could be able to catch Brother Advertiser Thomas' Christmas gift but learn that it will not likely be completed by that time.

Hon. G. D. Bruce, who has been located at McCay's, Tenn., for some time taking various views of that section, came home on a visit this week. He will likely go back to Tennessee tomorrow. Mr. Bruce has retired to priyate life and will not be a candidate for re-election to the General Assembly.

Mr. Cal Boyd, of this county, shipped this week 100 dressed turkeys and 100 dressed hens to Atlanta and got a handsome price for them. The largest turkeys weighed twenty pounds. It took six men three days to kill and dress the poultry. The incident shows what can be done in this county. Mr. Boyd is a live man if he does deal in dead hens and turkeys.—Dalton Citizen.

Municipal Ticket.

MR. EDITOR:

Please allow me to suggest the following municipal ticket, which I believe will be a good one to vote for as each will look to the interest of all classes and especially the towns:

For Mayor:
R. H. BAKER.
For Aldermen:
1st Ward.—G. H. McGUIRE.
2nd Ward.—T. J. SMITH.
W. B, TOWNSEND.
3rd Ward.—O. J. LILLY.

Shingles Wanted.

75,000 shingles wanted at Porter Springs, to be delivered by May 1st, 1904. Address.

HENRY P. FARROW,
Gainesville, Ga.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

Georgia, Lumpkin County.

Will be sold before the court house door of the county of Lumpkin, on the 1st Tuesday in January next, within the legal hours of sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following property to-wit:

The farming interest in and to lot of land number 165, in the 11th district of originally Hall now Lumpkin county, Georgia. Levied on as the property of Mrs. Louisa Crisson by virtue of and to satisfy an attachment fi. fa. issued from the Justices Court of the 837th District, G. M., of said county, in favor of The Frank W. Hall Mdse Company, H. D. Ingersoll, bearer, vs. the said Mrs. Lovisa Crisson. Levy made and returned to me by by E. Carroll. L. C. This the 2nd day of Dec. 1903.

J. M. DANIS, Sheriff.

Georgia, Thomas County.

By virtue of an order of the Court of Ordinary of said County, will be sold at public outcry at the Court House in said County on the first Tuesday in January, 1904, between the usual hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash: Lot of land, number Four Hundred and Forty-seven, lying in the fifth district and first section of the County of Lumpkin, said state, and containing thirty-nine and one-half acres, more or less; and to be sold as the property of the Estate of J. B. F. Dixon, deceased.

This December 1, 1903.

M. A. FLEETWOOD,
Administrator of J. B. F. Dixon.

Notice.

There will be a mass meeting of the citizens of Dahlonega held in the court house in the city of Dahlonega, on Wednesday night, 7 o'clock, Dec. 16th, 1903, for the purpose of nominating four aldermen—one in the 1st Ward, 2 in the second and 1 in the 3rd. All parties entitled to vote are requested to come out and participate in the meeting. Dec. 1, 1903.

RUFE H. BAKER, Mayor.

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Mrs. Strickland.

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Hightower, 24—10 to 4.
Jones' Creek, 25—10 to 2.
Nimblewill, 26—10 to 4.
Mill Creek, 27—10 to 4.
Davis, 28—10 to 2.
Auraria, Dec. 1—10 to 4.
Martain's Ford, 2—10 to 4.
Wahoo, 3—10 to 4.
Shoal Creek, 4—10 to 4.
Crumby's, 5—10 to 4.
Frog Town, 7—10 to 4,
Chestatee, 8—10 to 4.
Porter Springs, 9—10 to 2,
Yahoola, 10—10 to 4.
Dahlonega—17, 18 and 19.

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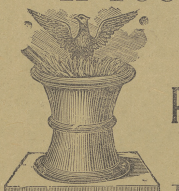

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Local News.

White beans are retailing at 5 cents a pound here now.

When you need any shingles, write Hutcheson Bros. All orders promptly filled, Freda, Ga. tf

Did you say you needed any type writer paper, either long or short? We have it. Either blue or white.

B. R. Meaders & Sons have just received a new barrel of South Georgia syrup. Go at once and get some of it.

By Mr. J. E. McGee moving to his new home down on Park street it leaves a vacancy in the city council in the 2nd Ward.

In about three weeks no doubt a lot of persons will lay aside their religion, if they have any, and celebrate Christmas as usual, by fiddling, dancing and drinking.

Mr. Carter, the owner of The Bank of Dahlonega, came over last week and took charge of things long enough to allow Mr. Crawford, the cashier, to take a few days off and go to see his parents over at Blue Ridge, Ga.

Turkeys were in demand last Thursday. They sold at $1.25 each and some couldn't get them for love nor money. We didn't get one but ate the country editors usual diet—rice and corn bread, and feel just as well today as if we had eaten a turkey.

Nearly every cold, windy night Marshal Walker stays up longer than usual watching for fire. If people would burn out their chimneys at the proper time, during a rain there would not be so much danger. One at the old Hall House caught at a late hour the other night and great chunks of burning soot fell on the side walk for some time afterwards.

This is the way one of our citizens talks after taking up his abode in Tennessee: "Dahlonega has been critizised a whole lot but she is one of the best little towns in all this country. It seems hard for the Dahlonegaites to stay away from that good old place." We have always known this and never expect to leave the place until called upon by the highest authority in existence.

For the past three years every business house in Dahlonega has been closed on Thanksgiving Day. It was started by boys carrying around a petition to this effect and has continued ever since. If any one can show us where there is any sense in suspending business on the 26th day of November, picking up a gun and going out and shooting a snow bird and not for a single time even think of the Lord, we will treat to the persimmon beer two or three times.

Last Thursday morning about 2 o'clock two cribs on the Briar Patch property, belonging to Mr. J. T. Miller and Mr. Mat Chambers, containing about 350 bushels of corn were discovered to be on fire, and all lost except about 50 bushels. It was the work of an incendiary and its owners have an idea who the guilty party was. The door to Mr. Miller's crib, containing 300 bushels, had been nailed up, and when the fire was discovered it was open. The party had stole what he wanted and set fire to the crib and the other crib was close enough to take fire.

Latter part of last week the Kirkpatrick college boys, who have been quarantined in a cottage over in the drill field with small pox for some time, were released and the building properly fumigated. The next day a Mr. Hunt from Chickemauga, boarding at the Hatfield House, broke out with something resembling smallpox. He was carried back to the cottage for fear that it might be the disease, although he has not felt a bit sick. Later.—The supposed smallpox has turned out to be chicken-pox. And in addition to this, Mr. Hunt has mumps. So there is not a single case of small pox in Dahlonega.

We were pleased to meet Mr. R. J. Swain in our city again this week.

We noticed an old gentleman toting one of his son-in-laws wood the other day while the young kinsman loafed about. Such is life.

The Methodist people gave a box supper at the girl's dormitory, we learn, to get funds for a Christmas tree. It is said that they made ten dollars or more.

New boys still keep coming in to college. Mr. Atticus Sims of Oconee county, Georgia, was the last addition to the roll. Mr. Sims is the first man whom that county has ever sent to this college.

Mr. John Chapman leaves this week for Atlanta Heights, for the purpose of following truck farming as a livelyhood. He has not sold but rented his farm in this county, to which he may return in a year.

Some of the wood haulers have such small loads of wood that they are ashamed to come through town with them for fear of being criticised. It is just as much harm to cheat any one in wood matters as any thing else.

The year 1903 is coming to a close and every body who can should settle their accounts and begin even with the new year. If you are due us anything we want it, and if we are due anything you will get it.

We are informed that three young men of this county left for California last week, being Tom Sargent, Will Tate and Marion Ducket, who reside near Porter Springs. From there they will go to Washington Territory.

For a short time Mr. Bruce Crawford, cashier of The Bank of Dahlonega, had a notion of locating at Blue Ridge, but after his visit there last week he has decided to remain in Dahlonega. We are all pleased at this as Mr. Crawford is such a big, good hearted fellow that every body likes him.

Last Saturday a team ran away with Wilie Carroll while coming down the hill the other side of Yahoola creek. The horses ran for about a quarter, turned the hack top side up, leaving only a few pieces of the top to the bed. The driver was only slightly injured by being thrown out on the ground. The holding back strap broke.

As our name has been mentioned for alderman from the second ward by some friends we wish to express our thanks, but beg leave to state that it doesn't matter a straw with us whether we are nominated or not, as we are not seeking office, especially for one that brings in no money but a big lot of "cursing."

In speaking of Col. Charter's speech in the case of the state vs. Mrs. Onie Tanner in Hall Superior Court last week, the Atlanta Constitution's Gainesville correspondent makes these complimentary remarks of our fellow townsmen: "The speech of Col. W. A. Charters, the solicitor general, was pronounced one of the best arguments in a criminal case ever delivered in the Hall county court house. He made a great plea for the conviction of Mrs. Tanner, and his conclusions were adroitly and skillfully handled."

The Phi Mu entertainment last Monday was a splendid success. There were several lady visitors present. The subject debated was Resolved, "That the coming woman would be a man." The affirmative speakers were: J. D. Gartatowsky, G. M. Barns and R. E. Smith. Negative were: J. F. Broach, J. W. Brown and R. Byers. The affirmative presented a masterful effort to proye that the coming woman should be a man and actually produced a woman into court who swore that when she left home her name was "Mary" but that now her name was "B!" However the negative won the decision by a large majority.

The old hens have made a strike and our citizens are without eggs.

Some of our merchants have already had a visit from Santa Claus.

Mrs. Marion Brooksher leaves for Beaver Ridge, Tenn., this week, where she will reside for awhile.

The Thanksgiving services at the public school here by the pupils are said to be very interesting by all present.

The mail on the upper route to Gainesville leaves a half an hour earlier now and arrives here at 2:30 o'clock.

Don't forget that the tax collectors book closes on the 19th inst. and fi. fas. will be issued against all defaulters on Monday following.

We trust that the city authorities will not allow any fire works here this Christmas. It is too dangerous about fire. Thousands of dollars damages are some times done by a single fire cracker.

Mr. G. H. McGuire expects to leave Dahlonega first of January, and requests those needing any juelry work to call at once and parties having any work at his shop are asked to come and get it.

Rev. Mr. Bell of Atlanta, filled the pulpit at the Baptist church in Dahlonega last Sunday and Sunday night, who was listened to with much interest by a good size congregation both times.

Martin Wehunt (Red Fox), was in Dahlonega last Saturday. It was reported awhile that he went to the far west, but Red Fox tells us that he has only been over to Blue Ridge, Ga., and has no idea of leaving this country.

There is not a merchant in Dahlonega but what is afraid of fire crackers and other fire works being exploded in here for fear of setting the town on fire. Now why do they bring them up for sale? If they do, they are to blame to some extent.

A woman, who recently went from Dahlonega to Tennessee, stepped into Mr. Cicero Wallace's store the other day, so we are informed, and said that she wanted some of "those butter." Although she went from this place we are glad to say that she didn't get her education(?) here.

We regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Garrison, nee Miss Anna Chastain, which occurred at her home in Jackson county some weeks ago. Mrs. Garrison was born, reared and wedded in Dahlonega, and left here with her husband for Jackson county many years ago. We understand that the deceased had been postmistress at Dry Pond for about 20 years.

Rev. J. D. Turner, the new pastor of the Methodist church at this place, will deliver his first sermon next Sunday at 11 o'clock. Quite likely he will be greeted with a large congregation, as but few here are acquainted with Mr. Turner and have not had an opportunity of hearing him preach before. We trust that he is the right man in the right place and will accomplish much good in our midst.

Mr. J. T. Miller of Auraria, and Dr. Bockius of Chicago, who came to this county a few days ago, were registered at Hall's Villa last Sunday and remained here for some time. The Doctor before he started south, stated that he had an idea of purchasing a piece of property in Dahlonega and building him a nice comfortable winter home provided, he could get suited in a place. We trust that this gentleman is still in the notion and the day is not far distant when we can call him a citizen of our beautiful mountain city—during the winter season at least. Later.—Dr. Bockius was expecting to spend some time in Dahlonega but Sunday night he dreamed about his little girl who he had left at home unwell and it alarmed him so that he took his departure early Monday morning for Chicago.

Santa Claus arrived here this week and delivered his first load of goods to F. L. Reese.

W. P. Price, Jr., has received his Christmas goods. They are nice. Something for both old and young.

Mrs. J. F. Castleberry went down into Dawson county last Sunday to see her mother who was very sick.

We had the pleasure of meeting Mr. J. T. Hubbard of Asheville, N. C., yesterday, who is here on a short visit.

Mr. John Craig, of Toledo, O., has been here this week inspecting Mr. Ashley's mica mine, a few miles above Dahlonega.

The property belonging to the J. B. Graham estate, was purchased last Tuesday for Judge W. W. Murray, of Huntingdon, Tenn., for $312.50.

We understand that Nelius Goudlock, col., who is wanted in this county for cursing in the present of females, was given a sentence down in lower Georgia of 12 months for carrying a pistol.

The Masonic Lodge held its annual election for officers last Tuesday night, resulting in the selection of Dr. H. C. Whelchel, W. M., and M. J. Williams, Sec'y. After this an oyster supper was had at the Villa.

Our friend, Mr. R. W. Walker of Ellijay, is here on a few days visit. He is a big, good hearted gentleman, and makes every thing pleasant wherever he goes and we are always glad to see him in our midst.

A glorious old time revival has been going on out at Last Chance two weeks or more, under the supervision of Revs. Blackburn and West. Several have been converted and much good is being done. Let the good work go on.

It seems that every one is at liberty to hunt in Lumpkin county now on any ones property as but one has yet registered according to law under the late act. Isn't it strange that the small cost of only 25 cents will make land owners so backward?

A little child of Mary Hunter, col., was badly burned last Saturday. Mary Strickland, upon seeing the little one run out of the house in flames and hallowed until her false teeth dropped out. We do not mention the latter in the way of sport.

Our friend and patron, Mr. Seth McGee of White county, who is agent for the Garnet Mine in this county, paid our sanctum a pleasant visit last Tuesday. The Garnet is valuable gold mining property but its owner in New York will not work it or let it be worked until he completes an invention he is at work on now for the saving of fine gold.

All parties indebted to T. J. Smith & Bro. by note or account, who do not settle or make satisfaction, will find their notes and accounts in the hands of officers after December 25th. Do not wait and have a bill of cost run up on you. We have to meet our obligations, therefore we must collect, T. J. SMITH & BRO.

Although there is an ordinance to punish those who through negligence, let their chimneys burn out at dry times, no attention is paid to it and the town is often endangered by this ordinance not being enforced. Enforce it or repeal it. There is no use of haying laws unless they are enforced. This one is more important than any little fighting or druken scrape.

It will be seen by an official notice elsewhere that Mayor Baker has called a mass meeting of the legal voters of Dahlonega to be held on the 16th inst. for the purpose of nominating four aldermen. All persons 21 years of of age, living within the corporate limits of Dahlonega, having settled all taxes, both state, county and municipal, up to the present year are requested to come out and participate in this meeting and assist in the selection of a good ticket for the approaching election the Saturday following.

The city registration book closes on the 12th inst.

Sheriff Davis carried Miss Satterfield, recently adjudged a lunatic, to the asylum yesterday.

Mr. Will Rickets of Dahlonega, has contracted to build a dredge boat for a company at Harrando, Fla., about three hundred miles below Jacksonville. He will leave in a short time to begin his work which will require some four or five months. Mr. Rickets is a first class mechanic and will do a good job.

Several parties residing in the upper portion of the county, who had optioned their timber land to Anderson & Jones, for the United States Leather Co., were in last Tuesday for their money. The time was up first of the month but none of the Leather men appeared with either their greenback or silver, causing these land owners to be very much disappointed.

Mr. Samuel Anderson of Wier, Ga., this county, left last week with his wife for new fields in Kentucky. Some few days ago he had three fights with Jap Grizzle who he believed had—well we will not say for fear it might shock the modesty of some one and cause them to go into spasms. So don't say anything about it for fear some of the old women get hold of it. If they do they will talk so much that they might not enjoy Christmas.

Mr. Henry Seabolt of this county, was brought in by Marshal Grizzle and carried before Com. Baker last Monday, charged with operating a still which was destroyed near his premises not long ago. Mr. John Ash assumed the responsibility and Mr. Seabolt was discharged, and as soon as a warrant is procured Mr. Ash will be required to come forth and explain why he carried on the business contrary to the laws of Uncle Sam.

Rev. Mat Grizzle, who has resided in this county for many years, pulled up stakes between midnight and day the other morning, so we understand and left for another clime, Jackson county likely. For many years he has been losing much time every year preaching the gospel for nothing, causing him to get so badly in debt that he believed it best for him to leave out when they sold his last horse last week. No doubt Mr. Grizzle has sayed several souls, but at the same time has injured himself or creditors. We know of other preachers in this county who are getting in the same fix. They get all the credit, when the men who furnishes their meat and bread should share a portion of it. Very much like Rockfeller when he makes a gift. The price of oil advances and others suffer.

There is a widow lady residing in Dahlonega receiving three dollars per month from the county as a partial support, haying two living brothers plenty able to take care of her who ought to be ashamed of themselves. Her husband, who had been in bad health for a long time, passed away a few months ago. He was unable to do anything and also had to be assisted by the county. As stated above, this poor woman has two brothers. They are preachers. According to the tax digest one possesses over three hundred dollars and the other near nine hundred. The poor woman's brother possessing the most, asked the ordinary during his brother-in-laws life time, to give them $10 per month. Yet they favor foreign missions, and one stopped his NUGGET because we opposed it for just such reasons as the above. We wouldn't have brought up this subject had it not been that the ordinary was called upon this week by a distant relative asking for clothing for this lady who has the cold-hearted brothers. One of these men has been preaching here occasionally. We never go to hear him, for if such actions as this is religion, we don't want it.

Shelled corn sold from the wagons here last week at 55 cents per bushel—meal 60.

Mountain cabbage sold here at a cent and a quarter per pound from the wagons last week.

It looks very much like a certain man is going to lose his son, although it is not leap year.

A large yoke of oxen, weighing 2,000 pounds, for sale by M. J. Williams, Dahlonega, Ga.

Dahlonega was visited by the coldest wave of the season last week—regular hog killing weather.

Some one left an overcoat at M. J. Williams store court week. The owner is requested to call for it.

The article on agriculture, by Prof. Davis, was sent in too late for this week's first page. Will appear next.

Mr. A. D. Shular, who has been teaching school in this county for some time, has finished up here and gone down to Gillsville, Ga., to teach. He is a nice, clever young man and we wish him success.

There was a big corn shucking up in Chestatee district one day last week and not a drop of liquor used on the place by any one. All went and come away as sober as the soberest of judges. This shows that a reform movement has struck that part of the county.

The NUGGETS are all in the Dahlonega postoffice by 10 o'clock every Thursday, and if you fail to receive them promptly it is not our fault. Those for Auraria a few weeks ago didn't reach that place till Monday following although it is just six miles away.

The farmers of this county have recently got to producing about enough hay and feed to supply the demands of the county, and we trust that the former custom of having to haul thousands of pounds of Western hay here every winter and spring is a thing of the past.

Instead of wanting to explode fire works on Christmas, why not make up enough money to get the company to light all the arch lamps in the city during the holidays? There would be no danger in this, besides it would be nice as well as beneficial to those wishing to make Christmas calls, and a little benefit to a company that has expended thousands of dollars here.

The sheriff of Dawson county, armed with a warrant, made a call on Ross Duff, residing a couple of miles from Dahlonega, one day last week. Ross had failed to pay for a shot gun he purchased in that county from some one not long ago. The gun was sold to him for $5.00, the cost in the case was $5.25, is the kind of a weapon Ross now possesses.

Mr. M. J. Williams has a hickory stick that is more than thirty years old. It used to belong to Mr. Tobias Woody of Union county, now deceased. A long time ago Mr. Williams told Mr. Woody he wanted the stick after his death. He said all right. So the old man passed away a number of years ago and a few days since his wife brought the stick to its owner as requested by her husband before his death.

At the last term of our Superior Court Elias Woody was prosecuted for deserting his wife. His wife upon being promised by him that he would live with her and care for her and his child, refused to swear in the court what she did before the grand jury when the bill was returned against him, and the result was he was acquitted and a verdict of malicious prosecution returned against the woman and a good size bill of cost had to be paid to save the wife from being imprisoned. He paid this, but we understand that he has gone and left his wife again and refuses to live with her, although she saved him from going to the chain gang. Oh, how easy some women can be deceived.

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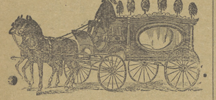

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Given under my hand and official signature. This the 3rd day of November, 1 03.

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Buying a Son-in-Law.

If the Old Testament "day" was 1,000 years why not so translate it? Sometimes a rabbi speaks of a day as one year, says the New York Press. A popular Hebrew minister of the East Side tells this story: In a little town in Poland lived a widow who had an only child, a daughter, for whom she desired a husband, as the girl was no longer of tender years, and succeeded in interesting a poor Jewish student who was studying at the synagogue to become a rabbi. He decided to desert the ranks of celibacy after the prospective mother-in-law had promised to provide for him with seven years of "kest," which means free board, lodging clothing, etc. This custom exists to-day among the European Jews. The widow was delighted with her purchase, because it is considered an honor to have a son-in-law possessed of great Talmudic learning.

On the eighth day after the wedding the widow changed her mind, informing her son-in-law that he must hustle for himself. She added that she had provided him with seven days' living gratis and had therefore kept her promise, as she regarded one day as one year. The young man went to the synagogue that day as usual and did a lot of thinking. When three days had passed he sued for divorce on the ground that his wife had born him no children. The rabbi before whom the case was brought appeared to be greatly shocked. The student called his attention to a law in Talmud which says that if a man has lived with his wife ten years and she bears no children in that period he has suitable grounds for divorce. Now, he had lived with his wife ten days and she had no children; as he considered each day as one year he was entitled to be free. The widow was so struck with the cleverness of her son-in-law that she kept her original promise and paid all the bills.

The department of agriculture of Georgia desires to warn our farmers to be on their guard against importing from Texas cotton, cotton seed, hulls. corn, hay or other farm products that are liable to introduce the weevil. If the fly, that produces it, has deposited its eggs among any of these farm products and they should be allowed to hibernate in this section, the spring may behold this pest fairly installed in many localities. It will be much more difficult to eradicate the weevil after in has appeared than to prevent its introduction.—Marietta Journal.

A farmer has formulated a set of rules that may enable him to get what help he needs, says a Missouri exchange. Wages will be $4 per day; breakfast will be served in bed; working hours from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m.; all heavy work to be done by the boss. Cigars, lemonade and reading matter free; three holidays a week. Any hand working the entire season can have the runch.

The price of kerosene has been advanced two cents and Rockfeller's share of the profits on the advance alone is estimated at over ten millions. The poor man pays it. All the universities and Sunday schools founded by that man can't save him from the blue flames of the kerosene of wrath stored up for him in his apartments in the next world, says an exchange.

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No woman was ever big enough to overlook social distinctions in a great cause.

The place you get married is called the alter because it is where the sacrifice begins.

Mighty few women can detect the difference between being made love to and being loved.

Life can be made a success. It is not a question of climbing above poverty, it is a question of understanding life. So many of us have been lured away and fascinated by what turns out to be phantoms and false gods! We have had to wheel back and begin over again and fight along against tremendous odds, and yet with all that life can be made a success, for success consists in doing right, in doing the best you can with what you have, of years experience, of sorrows, of chances, of joys and of hope. Fight until the end.—Schoolmaster.

The following is going the rounds as a joke on a popular magistrate. A woman in a domestic brawl bit off a piece of her husband's ear. The magistrate characterized the assault as a degrading and disgusting case, but as the woman had no previous conviction added that he would merely bind her over to keep the peace, to which she replied that she was sorry that she could not do that, as she had given the peace to the cat.—Dalton Argus.

The following truth was uttered by a wise but unsophisticated philosopher: "The country papers have many faults, they make many blunders and leave undone many good works. Yet when you follow them months after months you are convinced of the loyality with which they stand by their community, and the constancy with which they preach the doctrine of citizenship and fair play in all things."

The Lumpkin county boys are going and coming so much from Alabama and Tennessee that we can't keep up with them. It is true, they get better wages in either state than here but with some of them the railroads get the extra money they make in carrying them to and from so often.

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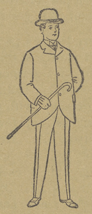

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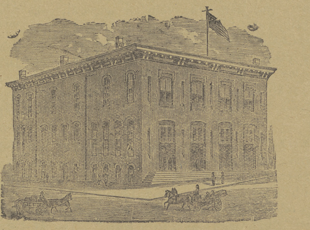

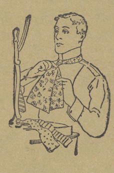

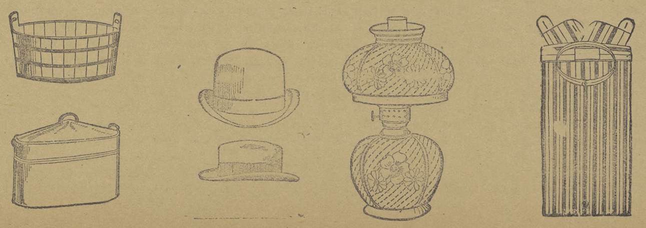

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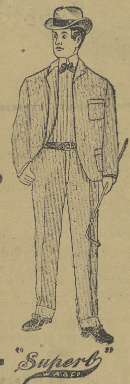

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3. Insoluble phosphoric acid—three parts of lime united with one part of phosphoric acid. This form is readily dissolved by strong acids but is slowly taken up by plants, being firmly bound by a large amount of lime. The phosphoric acid made from bone is more readily used than that from phosphate rock, as the organic matter honeycombs it and renders it more favorable for solution.

4. Tetra — calcic phosphate—four parts of lime are united with one part of phosphoric acid. This is insoluble but is more available than the preceding form. It contains much lime and is found in the slag of the Bessamer steel process.

We will now speak of the sources of phosphoric acid. Bones of animals is one of the chief sources. The chief cause of the variation in the composition of bones used as a fertilizer is due to the treatment they receive. Bone meal is ground bone. Its availability depending upon its fineness of division. Steamed or boiled bone contains more phosphoric acid, and less nitrogen than raw bone. Bone-black is prepared by heating bones in air tight vessels until all the volatile matter is driven off, leaving the original form of the bone which contains carbon and phosphate of lime. This ground into a powder is used first for clarifying sugar. When received from the refineries it contains impurities of vegatable matter and moisture—the composition varying from 32 to 86 per cent of phosphoric acid and a small amount of nitrogen. Bone-ash is free from nitrogen and contains from twenty-seven to thirty-six per cent of phosphoric acid. Large exports are made from South America. Rock phosphate is now being used very extensively. Large quantities are mined in Tenn., S. C. and Fla. Some rocks contain as high as 40 per cent of phosphoric acid.

The effect of phosphoric acid on plant life has been noticed in three forms;

1. It helps plant nutrition, playing an important part in building proteids.

2. Applied early in the season it hastens maturity unless its effect has been counteracted by the application of a large amount of nitrogen. If the seeds do not develop normally and the plant fails to mature this is good evidence of the lack of phosphoric acid.

3. It aids certain nutrients in becoming soluble, so that they may be transfered from the growing parts to the seed or wherever they are to be assimalated.

POTASH.

Potash is formed by the union of potassium, an inflamable, silver-white metal with oxygen. It is found in abundance in the ash of plants. All soils contain potash as it is an ingredient of many minerals and rocks. Soils composed largely of sand are often found deficient in potash. In the early history of our country wood ashes was practically the only source of potash, while now the Stassfur mines of Germany furnish largely what is used. The product of these mines sold in this country is chiefly Kainit, which usually contains about twelve and one-half per cent. of potash.

Muriate of potash and sulphate of potash are the manufactured products. In the first, potash is combined with chlorine forming a chloride, while in the second potash is combined with sulphuric acid forming a sulphate. Potash is found combined in rocks, as mineral salts, in vegetable matter and in the ash of plants.

These are the known functions of potash: Aids in the formation and transference of starch in plants and in the formation of sugar. Essential in the development of wood structure and the fleshy portion of fruits. It neutralizes plant acids.

CHAS. W. DAVIS,
N. G. A. C.

Reform the School.

The whole course needs to be simplified and the children should be taught to spell. The spelling of even high-school children of honor rank is disgraceful. The old routine, parrot-like spelling has disappeared before the march of "progress" along with the old fashioned way of teaching children their alphabets. They now learn to read phonetically, and are supposed to spell by the same process. They are supposed to, but they do not. The theory sounds well, but it doesn't work. It might do, perhaps, for adults of another race learning the English language. But with the large classes in our public schools the thing is a wretched failure. There seems to be no way of teaching the average child to spell save by going over and over lists of words that sound alike and have slight differences until he has glued them in his memory like a parrot. It may not be scientific, but the results abide, and it is results that count.

Then there is arithmetic, upon which the public schools lay properly great stress. But they teach the processes without the reasoning that underlies them. As a result, a bright child will "do" complicated examples without the slightest idea of why he takes certain steps save that the teacher told him to. When he comes to a new process he is at sea until the teacher has told him how to work that. There is no time for the reasoning which children of an earlier generation were put through in solving problems without the use of pencil and fignres. That training itself was a pretty good substitute for geometry and logic. A child who mastered it had learned to think, and that is the foundation of all education. If a child learns to think or to spell under the present system, it is because he stumbles into it or else is taught at home by parents who went to school before the modern frills were invented. In place of these fundamentals he gets an excellent smattering of history, a pretty good idea that there is such a thing as English literature, with some knowledge of the biographies of the men and women who made it, a patchwork of interesting facts from natural science, makes a few rudimentary motions toward drawing and painting and gets a vague sort of notion that if he were smart he might learn to read music. These are all excellent things in themselves. They arouse a curiosity about, and perhaps in rare cases a real hunger for, knowledge which may lead the child to read or to study after he leaves school. That is fine if it can be combined with good spelling and a real mastery of simple arithmetic. But the schools have not been able to combine the two. Like the fabled dog swimming the stream, they have dropped the real meat of elementary education for its shadow in the water. It is time that the process should be reversed and the children fed and nourished.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A Philadelphia photographer tells this as having actually happened, says the Ledger. A woman entered his studio.

"Are you the photographer?"

"Yes, madam."

"Do you take children's pictures?"

"Yes certainly."

"How much do you charge?"

"Three dollars a dozen."

"Well," said the woman sorrowfully. "I'll have to see you again. I've only got eleven."

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COUNTY OFFICERS.

John Huff, Ordinary.
John H. Moore, Clerk.
James M. Davis Sheriff.
E. J. Walden, Tax Collector.
James L. Healan, Tax Receiver.
V. R. Hix, County Surveyor.
Joseph B. Brown, Treasurer.
D. C. Stow, Coroner.

CITY GOVERNMENT.

R. H. Baker, Mayor.
Aldermen: E. S Strickland, J. E. McGee, F. G. Jones. J. W. Boyd, T. J. Smith. W. P. Price, Jr.
Wm. J. Worley, Clerk.
Geo. W. Walker, Marshal.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

Baptist Church — ——, Paster. Services Sunday at 11 and at night. Prayer meeting Thursday night.
Sunday School at 9 o'clock.

Methodist—Services every Sunday at 11 and at night. Rev. J. D Turner, Pastor. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.
Sunday School at 9 o'clock.

Presbyterian—Services only on 1st and 3rd Sundays.
D. J Blackwell, pastor.
Sunday School 9 a. m.

MASONIC.

Blue Mountain Lodge No. 38, F. & A. M., meets 1st Tuesday night of each month.
R. H. BAKER, W. M

K. of P.

Gold City Lodge No. 117, Dahlonega, Ga, meets in their Castle Hall, over Anderson & Jones' store, the first and third Mondays in each month at 8, p. m. All visiting brothers who are in possession of the S. A. P. W. are hereby cordially invited to attend all meetings. W. W. Crisson, C. C., W. E. Ricketts, V. C.; D. J. Blackwell, P.; D. C. Stow, R. R. & S.; F. M. Meaders, M. of F.; Wharton Anderson, M. A.

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Dahlonega, Ga.
All legal business promptly attended to

THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, DEC. 10, 1903.

Enetred at the Dahlonega, Ga. P. O as Second Class Matter.

Official Organ of both City and County.

President Roosevelt is left $30,000 by his father.

At Athens the University is still teaching base balling.

A blind tiger has sprung up at Griffin, Ga., causing some trouple.

The name of Harmony Grove, Ga., has recently been changed to Commerce.

An Italian woman, through jealousy, recently cut off her own child's head in Italy.

In 1902 there were only 108 nurseries in Georgia. Now there are 191, containing a total of 10,514,000 trees.

At Woodmore L. I., last week a deduty sheriff was sentenced to three months imprisonment for kissing a lady school teacher.

The editor of the Cherokee Advance proposes to give ten years subscription to his paper to the one sending him the largest hog, weighing over 100, this year.

The little ten-year-old girl of Mr. Joe Campbell, who lives near White Sulpher station, was burned to death a few days ago, caused by her clothing catching a fire.

It seems that some of the merchants of Gainesville, have been selling goods on Sunday, and the Solicitor-General of the City court has given notice that if they do so "any more" he will prosecute them.

Well, Dr. Watkins of Ellijay is in the race for congress. So is Carter Tate, and Tom Bell will be with them. With these three popular gentlemen there is certainly going to be a lively time in the Ninth.

President Roosevelt seems to have more confidence in Crum for collector at Charleston, S. C. than any of the white republicans of that beat, as he has again sent in his name to the senate and insists on his appointment.

The president's message has been made, although it contains 17,000 words, "narry" time did he mention the names of his warm, colored friends, Booker Washington or Dr. Cunn. Whether they are angry or not we have not learned.

Will Taylor and Will Archer were found guilty last week in Cherokee Superior court, of murdering Mrs. Holcombe and her daughter in that county recently, but given recommendation of mercy, and Judge Gober imposed light sentences in each case.

The state school book commission has selected the books and saved about $100,000 on the prices now charged, says Governor Terrell. For instance Fryes' High Geography costing $1.25 now, has beeu secured for 88 cents. The prices on all others selected reduced in proportion to this one.

The Marietta Journal says that Thanksgiving day in Atlanta, which drew so many football teams the day was made a carnival of drunkenness and fighting and wisely states that the legislature should prohibit football from being played as it has prohibited pugilism, the state colleges especially should not be permitted to allow students to engage in such sport. It is barbarism and a disgrace.

We are glad to learn that Col. Howard Thompson received the nomination for mayor of Gainesville last Saturday. Years ago, while we were sowing our wild oats and were forced to do business with this gentleman during his administration as sollcitor general, he always treated us kind and nice, causing us to think well of him. His opponent is a stranger to us, but guess that he too is a fine man.

The Age of Gold.

It is not long since people looked askance at mining propositions. The fault lay not with the mining, but in the minds of men. A mist of prejudice and a cloud of ignorance befogged the commercial brain. Real mining was confounded with stock jobbing. But there were those who distinguished the genuine from the counter feit. Men of such keen discernment as the Rothschilds, the Rockfellers, Morgans, Clarks, De La Mars, Heinzes, who studied the enormous possibilities of "legitimate mining" when sound business methods are applied thereto—these are men of keen judgment, skilled in unveiling the future. As they foresaw the future of railroads, of iron, steel, oil, they now foresee the future of mining, particularly gold mining. And as they forestalled the world in the other epoch-making industries, they are now prepared for the age of gold. Where their experts go, and where they invest, the public will eventually follow. Those who act quickly will participate in the enormous profits sure to be realized, as evidenced by the enormous rise in values shown by some of the great mines of the world, while the dilatory, the prejudiced and uninformed public holds aloof and continues its investments in channels already overdeveloped.

A mining company, whose stocks possess all the elements of safety and sure profits and whose prosperties are located in the very heart of the Georgia gold district, is the Jumbo Gold Mining Company's shares. Free milling quartz from the grass roots, millions of tons exist which can be mined and milled at a profit. The company has erected buildings, shafts, houses, etc., purchased and put in position hoists, engine, boiler, etc. A ten-stamp mill and Wifley concentrating table has also been purchased and is now on the ground. The gold ore body opened up is about seven hundred feet wide and a quarter of a mile long. R. W. Walker, M. E., says of the Jumbo mine: "The immense quantity of ore in this mine, even if it should run low, would make a profitable producer with almost any kind of equipment." Many assays showing values from $9 to $95 per ton have been made. The company offers a limited number of shares at fifteen cents per share, par value one dollar. The management refer to the First National Bank of Gainesville, Ga.; Bank of Dahlonega, Ga., and Bank of Huntingdon, Tenn. Every effort will be made to put this mine on a dividend basis as soon possible. The company invites all persons intending to invest to come and personally investigate the management and the mine. If both will not stand the most rigid investigation, stock ought not to be bought at any price. The Homestake mine in the Black Hills is the peer today, but practical miners who are familiar with both properties say they are confident the Jumbo possesses even greater possibilities than the marvelous South Dakota mine. The Jumbo ore is higher grade, can be more cheaply mined, and the vast deposits appear to be an exhaustible storehouse of wealth. Full information not made plain by this free and unsolicited editorial furnished by addressing the Jumbo Gold Mining Company, Dahlonega, Ga.

This is one of those legitimate propositions that come along occasionally and is entirely free from the speculative or stock–jobbing taint. It has the mine; the ore, rich in gold, is uncovered, and all it needs now is to have a few investors join it by taking a portion of its stock at the nominal price of 15 cents per share, par value, $1. Shares will be offered for a short time only—just long enough to secure the necessary funds to cut the ore shoots at great depth and blocking out large bodies of ore, thus making it a good dividend-paying proposition. There is no question

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Absolutely Pure
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about the quantity or quality of the ore, and thousands of tons are in sight and ready to be taken out. There is nothing lacking in timber, water or transportation—the only unfilled requirement is money to operate with. All the company asks is that you investigate fully, but do it at once. It has facts, figures and samples that will interest the most canservative investor. It is anxious to place them before you in the best shape for intelligent and early consideration. The property lies within visiting distance. The men at the head of the company are men of sterling integrity, all equally interested with the smallest stockholders in pushing the development work to a rapid completion. There is no surer plan of providing for old age than is offered by this class of stock, as thousands could testify who are drawing dividends yearly. The location of the mines of the company affords every indication that its stock will be a dividend payer and have a big increase in value at an early day. It is controlled by men of splendid reputation, making it a very desirable investment.

The character and reputation of these men is a guarantee that the business will be conducted in a careful, prudent and economical manner, and whatever enterprise they become associated with will be conducted as a personal trust. All work for the general success of the company and in the interest of the stockholders. It is the desire of the organizers that everyone who purchase stock shall profit by the investment, and to that end provisions have been made so that all may be protected and all participate equally in the profits of the corporation. The investor in the shares of this company has no taxes, assessments, fines, interests or liabilities of any kind to pay during the life of the stock. The shareholders' interest is natural and collective. There is no preferred stock. The secretary, general manager and treasurer of the company are under sufficient bond. The officers and directors of the company are men of flattering standing in the business and financial circles of their respective communities, as above indicated, their names being a guarantee of the legitimate and high character of any enterprise with which they are indentified.

In conclusion we desire to repeat what we said in the beginning, that we have made a full and exhaustive investigation of this company, its officers, its prosperities and general standing, and as a result we have no hesitancy in recommending the same to our readers as one of the best, safest and most promising mining propositions that ever came under our observation. -- Western Trade Review.

MRS. CECELIA STOWE,
Orator, Entre Nous Club.

176 Warren Avenue,
CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 22, 1902.

For nearly four years I suffered from ovarian troubles. The doctor insisted on an operation as the only way to get well. I, however, strongly objected to an operation. My husband felt disheartened as well as I, for home with a sick woman is a disconsolate place at best. A friendly druggist advised him to get a bottle of Wine of Cardui for me to try, and he did so. I began to improve in a few days and my recovery was very rapid. Within eighteen weeks I was another being.

Cecelia Stowe

Mrs. Stowe's letter shows every woman how a home is saddened by female weaknes and how completely Wine of Cardui cures that sickness and brings health and happiness again. Do not go on suffering. Go to your druggist today and secure a $1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui.

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People who have torpid liver find life a misery. All they need is a mild remedy like

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AND TONIC PELLETS. The Pill stimulates the liver to its proper work and the Pellets invigorate the system. In short, they both assist Nature, as a medicine should do.

Complete Treatment

Only 25 cents.

Brown Manufacturing Co., New York & Greeneville, Tenn.

FOR SALE BY DR. C. H. JONES.

At Cripple Creek, Col., so much trouble has arisen by the miner's strike that the place had to be put under martial law.

Municipal Ticket.

MR. EDITOR:

Please allow me to suggest the following municipal ticket, which I believe will be a good one to vote for as each will look to the interest of all classes and especially the towns:

For Mayor:
R. H. BAKER.
For Aldermen:
1st Ward.—G. H. McGUIRE.
2nd Ward.--T. J. SMITH.
W. B. TOWNSEND.
3rd Ward.—O. J. LILLY.

Dr. J. D. JENNINGS
Of Gainesville,
WILL BE IN
Dahlonega
Next Tuesday and Wednesday,

Dec. 15 and 16, for the purpose of fitting glasses to your weak or diseased eye. Glasses guaranteed 12 months.

Will make regular visits during the year 1904. Examination and consultation FREE.

Caution about the Use and Selections of Spectacles

"Persons having normal vision will be able to read this print at a distance of 14 inches from the eyes with ease and comfort; also will be able to read is with each eye separately If unable to do so your eyes are defective and should have immediate attention. When the eyes become tired from reading or sewing, or if the letters look blurred and run together, it is a sure indication that glasses are needed." The lenses sold in the cheap goods are of unequal density and have imperfectly formed surfaces. Continued use of these poorer lenses will result in positive injury from the constant strain upon the muscles of accomodation to supply the defects in the glass."

Shingles Wanted.

75,000 shingles wanted at Porter Springs, to be delivered by May 1st, 1904. Address.

HENRY P. FARROW,
Gainesville, Ga.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

Georgia, Lumpkin County.

Will be sold before the court house door of the county of Lumpkin, on the 1st Tuesday in January next, within the legal hours of sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following property to-wit:

The farming interest in and to lot of land number 165, in the 11th district of originally Hall now Lumpkin county, Georgia. Levied on as the property of Mrs. Louisa Crisson by virtue of and to satisfy an attachment fi. fa. issued from the Justices Court of the 837th District, G. M., of said county, in favor of The Frank W. Hall Mdse Company, H. D. Ingersoll, bearer, vs. the said Mrs. Lovisa Crisson. Levy made and returned to me by by E. Carroll, L. C. This the 2nd day of Dec. 1903.

J. M. DANIS, Sheriff.

Georgia, Thomas County.

By virtue of an order of the Court of Ordinary of said County, will be sold at public outcry at the Court House in said County on the first Tuesday in January, 1904, between the usual hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash: Lot of land, number Four Hundred and Forty-seven, lying in the fifteenth district and first section of the County of Lumpkin, said state, and containing thirty-nine and one-half acres, more or less; and to be sold as the property of the Estate of J. B. F. Dixon, deceased. This December 1, 1903.

M. A. FLEETWOOD,
Administrator of J. B. F. Dixon.

Notice.

There will be a mass meeting of the citizens of Dahlonega held in the court house in the city of Dahlonega, on Wednesday night, 7 o'clock, Dec. 16th. 1903, for the purpose of nominating four aldermen—one in the 1st Ward, 2 in the second and 1 in the 3rd. All parties entitled to vote are requested to come out and participate in the meeting. Dec. 1, 1903.

RUFE H. BAKER, Mayor.

THOMAS M. BELL LIKELY TO BE IN RACE.

Declares There is No Ground For Statement That He Will Retire.

GAINESVILLE, GA.,
Dec. 8, 1903.

To the Editor of the Journal, Atlanta, Ga.:

The news item that appeared in your paper of yesterday stating that I would in a few days retire as a candidate for congress in the ninth district does me a great injustice, and I am at a loss to understand how or why such news is hatched up. It does seem to me that your reporters ought to investigate the truth of such statements before publication. While I have never formally announced, yet my candidacy is more than probable and regarded by my friends as a certainty.

THOMAS M. BELL.

TAX COLLECTOR'S LAST ROUND.

Wahoo, 3—10 to 4.
Shoal Creek, 4—10 to 4.
Crumby's, 5—10 to 4.
Frog Town, 7—10 to 4.
Chestatee, 8—10 to 4.
Porter Springs, 9—10 to 2.
Yahoola, 10—10 to 4.
Dahlonega—17, 18 and 19.

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Rubber Goods and Druggist's Sundries generally, PRICES RIGHT.

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J. T. MILLER'S

Dry Goods, Shoes and Clothing Store,

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For further particulars call at Auraria and let us make you prices on Fall, Winter and all other goods.

Local News.

The students will go home on the 19th to spend Christmas.

Mr. Charlie Thomas moved his family to Buferd this week, where he expects to reside hereafter.

Mr. Boyd Gurley of Dahlonega, was awarded the contracts for repainting the New bridge and Castlebery bridge.

Mr. West Woody, who moved to North Carolina from Dahlonega a number of years ago, was back on a visit this week.

Billie Elrod failed to work the road in Auraria district and the commissioners sent him up and let him stay in jail awhile.

Persons 21 years of age, who have resided in Dahlonega six months and in the state 12 and not otherwise disqualified, can vote in the city primary and election.

Marshal Grizzle killed a 10-months old porker the other day weighing 225, and Mr. Wince Bruce had a 15 months-one to pull down the scale beam at 350. Pretty good for mountain shoats.

Those colored females and their escorts last Sunday, the other side of the miles post on the Cooper Gap road, had fine fun. The men furnished them their pistols and laughed most heartily while the women did splendid target practice until they saw some one approaching. Then they hid the weapons and tucked their heads to keep from being recognized. Sunday seemed to be a big sporting day with several.

Miss May Cartledge, formerly of Dahlonega but now of Atlanta, was wedded in that city last Saturday to Mr. E. Z. Clarke, Jr., who has charge of the religious and photographic department of the Atlanta Constitution. Mrs. Clarke was the first woman pharmacist in Georgia and the only hospital pharmacist in the south, having held that position in the Grady hospital for the past two or three years.

The 19 or 20 days meeting, conducted by Revs. Blackburn and West out at Last Chance, is said to have resulted in much good. The services were held at the various residences of the common people where stylish ministers rarely ever go, and all present enjoyed themselves to the fullest extent, and the thought of one who might have on a prettier dress or more costlier hat than the other, never entered any of their minds, is why these preachers were so successful with their work.

Some excitement was created last Sunday afternoon by Sheriff Davis loading himself for bear and with a spirit level and a mason's trowel, went up in front of W. B. Woodwards and gave the edtor a piece of his mind in very strong terms. Afterwards the sheriff got in his buggy, drove by Woodward's house more than once, and over several streets of Dahlonega as if taking a general observation of the place, putting up his team about sundown, looking as if he had enjoyed his ride more than usual. The next morning Mr. Davis entered a plea of guilty and was fined ten dollars and cost by Mayor Baker. The trouble grew out of a municipal ticket printed by Mr. Woodward in last week's Signal, using the sheriff's name for mayor as a burlesque on the officer on account of bad blood that has been existing between the two for about a year, both haying said many hard things against each other during this time. On Monday morning a party was intending notifying Governor Terrell of the actions of Sheriff Davis in order to begin steps to haye him removed from office, but after ascertaining that the had received a a pretty heavy sentence in the mayor's court, decided to postpone the matter for the present. We deeply regret the affair, and as a friend to the sheriff, told him Sunday that as a peace officer he was making a big mistake to try to take revenge in this way on Sunday, even if he had been insulted.

The NUGGET is all wool and a yard wide. Send us a dollar and get it every week for a year.

Mr. Jake Free, after being absent from Dahlonega many years, returned on a visit last week.

Mr. Alfred Thomas of Cherokee county, has moved up near Porter Springs, on the John Cain place.

Hon. G. D. Bruce returned to McCay's last Saturday to resume his photography work there for a while longer.

Sam Dorsey of White county, was arrested and brought down by Marshal Grizzle, charged with illicit distilling recently.

James Smith of Dawson county, was bound over by Com. Baker last week upon the charge of making blockade liquor.

When you need any shingles, write Hutcheson Bros. All orders promptly filled, Freda, Ga. tf

It is reported here that R. L. Clark, who has mixed blood, eloped last week with a white woman named Bester Ralston.

We are informed that preacher Marks has married since he left Dahlonega. This accounts for the old man trying to put on a young appearance.

Mr. G. H. McGuire, the jeweler, will move to Dawson county about the 1st of January, who will be greatly missed here and we regret very much to see him leave. Any one having work they wish done in his line are requested to bring it in at once.

All parties indebted to T. J. Smith & Bro. by note or account, who do not settle or make satisfaction, will find their notes and accounts in the hands of officers after December 25th. Do not wait and have a bill of cost run up on you. We have to meet our obligations, therefore we must collect, T. J. SMITH & BRO.

We are glad to see Dr. N. F. Howard enjoying his usual health again. The Doctor practiced his profession in this county for fifty years. He yisited both the rich and the poor and treated well, and gave one as much attention as the other, and has been a useful man, but has been blind for some time. The Doctor says that he can begin to see just a little and it is hoped that his eyesight will yet be restored.

Rev. J. D. Turner, the new pastor of the Methodist church here, delivered his first sermon last Sunday and had very close attention by a large congregation. Mr. Turner has the appearance of being just the kind of a preacher that has been needed in Dahlonega for a long time and we extend to the divine and his family a most hearty welcome and trust that he will be able to accomplish a great amount of good here this year.

We notice where some one down in a lower county is grumbling because his district court house is uncomfortable. He would grumble if he lived up here. Only three districts in the county have any court house at all. Nothing for a shelter except a big tree, and when a justice is elected it is one who wears a broad brim hat, who in turn, when he draws a jury to try a case, gets jurors with similar hats to protect them from drowning while sitting on a log hearing and weighing the evidence in some frivolous case for which each receives 25 cents for being out all day in a cold rain, presided over by an official who is so chilly and damp that his lips are as blue as indigo. You can always tell for two or three days afterwards a justice or juror who has been trying one of these cold wet cases in Lumpkin county having no district court house, by looking at his lips. Down at Auraria they use to hold court in a store—and we guess they do yet—in a merchants store, and the jury in preparing its verdict had to go in to an old stable, causing the owner to have to lead out his horse every time a jury trial was held to keep the animal from kicking some of them. Now how can justice be given under such circumstances?

A. W. Anderson has been appointed postmaster at Wild office, in this county, vice Frank H. Brown, resigned.

Don't forget those nice Christmas goods at W. P. Price's store. Something pretty and valuable for both old and young.

Mrs. Henry Spencer died last week a few miles from Dahlonega of a cancer, which has been on her face for about nine years.

Auraria was visited this week by Mr. Disney of the Briar Patch mine, together with several others, including two or three ladies.

Several citizens here have put in bids for mail contracts. Mr. M. J. Williams has bid on every one going out from Dahlonega except Porter Springs.

It will be seen from a notice elsewhere that Col. Farrow expects to do some repairing up at Porter soon. He wantes 75,000 shingles. Do you want the job?

The registration book for the city will close next Saturday and if you wish to take any part in the primary, or election, go out and register. The book will be found at Councilman Price's store.

Ye editor is the only one who uses the electric lights at 4 o'clock, a. m., this city, as but few, if any, get up so early in Dahlonega. Sleeping late often brings about hard times.

As Mr. G. H. McGuire will not be able to serve on the board of aldermen next year on account of taking his departure, why not put in Prof. Vickery from the 1st Ward? He is a good man and always attended the meetings promply when serving as a member.

One night last week the dwelling on the farm of Rev. J. E. Blackburn was destroyed by fire, being done by some fiend. It is said that the reason likely, was because Mr. Blackburn had rented it to a certain party who it is believed by some, reported an illicit distillery up in that section.

We about have in our winters wood and begin to feel as happy as a dead pig in the sunshine since regaining our usual fine health. Two of our big hogs and a lot of yellow legged chickens will be ripe by Christmas and the way we will eat hogs head and fatty bread will be a sight. Then in addition to our four hundred pounds of kraut, we have twenty-nine gallons of canned peaches, blackberries and tomatoes to taper off on, two cows furnishing us milk and a quart of camphor already prepared to use in case we get sick.

Some of the church members here are certainly setting a bad example for outsiders. On last Saturday two—a colored and a white member, drove into town so full of liquor that both were almost speechless, and the next day the white one appeared in the church and sang just like a saint, and in all probability the colored brother was about that time praying out in his country church loud enough to be heard a mile. Such conduct is not only a shame but a disgrace, and official members are to blame for it to some extent. Churches cannot expect to build up allowing a thing to be done that eyen country editors wouldn't be guilty of. If a member does indulge he should be more private about it so as not to injure his church. Now, we have no ill will towards the guilty parties but when such conduct has gone on and on until it even attracts the attention of strangers we think it is time for some one to speak up. We had about decided to order us a little liquor to drink along through the holidays but having become so disgusted at what we have observed within the past few days, we have about declined the idea. This has occurred more than once this year, yet the former ministers censured us publicly and personally for not attending church, and at the same time closed their mouths and eyes on the bad deeds of some of their members.

Mr. J. F. Moore went down to Atlanta on special business this week.

If you wish something real nice for Christmas and at a bargain, call at the drug store.

Mr. B. T. Montgomery has moved from Two Run, this county, down to Jefferson this week.

The postoffice here now runs by the slow time, which gives some of the carriers 30 minutes more time.

Mayor Baker requests us to state that no fire works will be allowed exploded in Dahlonega Christmas.

WANTED.—By H. B. Tregent, Auraria, Ga., 3 wild turkeys by the 20th, for which $1.50 and $2.00 a piece will be paid. Deliver at Barlow or to C. W. Satterfield.

It is believed by some that a new teacher will be appointed for the public school here next year, but we are informed that there is no appropriation for such an appointment and such steps will not be taken.

Mr. Geo. Moore of Gainesville, dropped in to see the people of his old home for a short while this week. Although Mr. Moore lives in that city, on account of his business calling him there, he says he likes Dahlonega the best.

Just arrived, a nice assortment of dolls and toys for the children. Also a nice line of better presents for the older ones, including toilet cases, handsome pictures, and jewelry. Come early before all the nicest things are picked oyer.

B. R. MEADERS & SONS.

Last Sunday while Mr. and Mrs. Henson Chapman, of Garland, were returning from Dahlonega, they had a frightful runaway beyond the Yahoola bridge, but fortunately neither were seriously injured. The mules got scared at some boys on the side of the road while going up the hill. They wheeled suddenly around, throwing Mr. Chapman out, and passed on down the hill at breakneck speed with Mrs. Chapman in the buggy, until they struck a tree, turned the buggy over and threw the lady out on the ground. Both Mr. and Mrs. Chapman were painfully hurt and the vehicle so badly damaged that other conveyance had to be secured before they could go any further.

The portion of scripture "that there will be wars and rumor of wars" is being fulfilled, for a battle took place in this county last Monday in less than two miles of Dahlonega on the Cooper Gap road between Joe Franklin and his wife on one side and old man Haden and his better half on the other, brought about, so we understand, by Mrs. Haden reporting that Joe had stole one of the Mr. Head's hogs. Franklin said that he had never been accused of stealing before and of course it made him mad, and his wife still madder, and no doubt caused some unplersant words to be uttered. So, Monday the two women happened to meet each other on the half way ground. After a few shots with the tongue, they went at it. This brought the husbands into it. Some pulled hair while others used fists and stones. This lasted till the Franklins, confident they had won the fight, returned home, and the Hadens took their end of the road. Soon persons were present viewing the battle ground. The old man's false teeth were found scattered about in a broken condition and a good deal of blood yisible. Several locks of hair helped to mark the battle ground. At the house near by Mr. Haden was found considerably disfigured by bruises and the loss of his false teeth. His wife's head was cut to the skull in two places and a body wound considered dangerous. The only damage on the other side was a little extra twist given Mrs. Franklin's arm—Joe was not hurt. Mr. Haden was able to ride to town yesterday fully intending to swear out a warrant, but his wife is still in bed. Both sides later decided to take out no warrant for each other and let the matter rest till court.

Notice date of Dr. Jennings, the noted specialist's visit next week, December 15 and 16.

There was no meeting of the city council Monday night. It convenes next Monday night.

Do you wish to look nice Christmas? If so go and get one of those good suits of clothing at J. F. Moore & Co's.

Dolls! dolls! dolls! At H. D. Gurleys. If you wish something nice in this line go at once before they are picked over.

Dr. Jennings, the Optician, asks that you confer with any prominent resident of Gainesville as to his reliability.

A good deal of snow fell here yesterday but the small amount of rain falling before it caused the snow to disappear soon.

Some pork raisers of the mountains, having some that couldn't be cooked without the use of lard, found a dull sale for it yesterday.

Mr. Grant, of the United States Leather Co., writes Messrs. Anderson & Jones that his company will take the timbered land in this county. The delay was unavoidable.

Yes, Santa Claus has visited H. D. Gurley's store and left a whole lot of Christmas goods. Prettiest in town. Go and see them if you wish to get something nice and cheap for your children.

County Treasurer Joe Brown is up in years but he is almost sure to get some game eyery time he goes hunting. The other day he went out above his house and shot two coons, found by his dog.

Our city had a pleasant visit last Monday from Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Jaquish. Mr Jaquish is now engaged in mining in this county, at the Josephine mine, that is, constructing a dam and other work, getting ready for it.

The tax collector should pay the county's money over to the treasurer as fast as he collects it instead of holding it over in the bank. If this was done the treasurer could be paying the money out and let people be getting some benefit from it.

Since the first of October we have sold 100 extra copies of the NUGGET, and some times 200, nearly every week, and up to date from the time mentioned above, our extras amount to 875. This shows that the NUGGET is full of life, vim and energy.

Those fine chickens, which we suppose belonged to Mrs. Ash, who lived in the Clarke house and left while the old hen was setting in the spring, and were raised in and about the office lot—8 or 10—all disappeared Tuesday night. Some two legged mink had a load.

Col. R. H. Baker requests us to say that he is a condidate for re election to the office of mayor, subject to the nominating convention. During Mr. Baker's administration he has handled the scales of justice and looked after the finances of the town with great care and we see no reason why he should not be re-elected. In fact the entire council has discharged its duty faithfully and honestly and if the citizens should decide to re-elect the old ticket will suit us.

We didn't know until recently that any one's name was spoken of for mayor of Dahlonega except Col. Baker. It is said that some of them are going to run Postmaster Tate. Whether he will accept or not we do not know, for we have said nothing to him about it, neither has he mentioned the matter to us. It is further stated that if Mr. Tate is elected; with a ticket for councilman they have in view, Mr. Jim Tate will be elected marshal and Mr. Tom Tate selected as clerk of the council, and all the town's business will be run through their store. Surely there can be no such a plan concocked as this, for it would look too much like Dowie running Zion and wouldn't give satisfaction altogether.

Mining Notes.

It was expected to have the mill at the McAfee-Lind running by yesterday and no doubt by this time it is crushing up the large amount of valuable ore that had already been gotten out by Superintendent W. H. McAfee.

Hands are now engaged in removing the Huntington mills at Crown Mountain plant and a ten-stamp mill, weighing 550 pounds to each stamp will take their places, and in a short time the whole building will be full of stamps, ready to run as soon as the power can be had.

Work is progressing nicely at the Josephine and a portion of the machinery is expected this week. No doubt this is one of the best gold mining propositions in the whole country. There is plenty of water on the property to operate it and a big rich territory to work. With a dam, which is now being contracted on the Josephine, less than 10 feet high, gives a pressure of 250 feet, enabling them to mine the entire property.

Mr. Tregent, who has the celebrated Barlow under a lease, while in town this week, showed us a big clean up of gold after a week's run. The gold was already burnt off and was a big, beautiful sight in the way of yellow metal. He says all those at work on this property are doing well, and he believes he has more custom ore already at the mill than he can crush before Christmas. You needn't give the old Barlow out.

On our first page will be found an article written by a gentleman living in Atlanta, Ga., and on the inside of this issue we present another by a gentleman residing in Chicago, Ill. They are splendid articles and explain the mining business here truthfully in a nut shell. These gentlemen are far apart, yet both have been here and see the situation just alike and give flattering reports of recent discoveries in this section. These gentlemen were really astonished at the richness in gold of this section. Let others come and see for themselves. Even the natives are surprised at the discoveries being made above Dahlonega on the new belt.

Having received a letter of enquiry as to what the Standard Company is doing, we will state that it is doing nothing at the present for want of power. The Singleton mill has been running on half time for awhile with the hopes that it would rain soon and strengthen the power, but no rain of any consequence yet and work had to cease. Two splendid veins are already opened up on this property, ready to work as soon as sufficient power can be had. The drouth is worse even than last year, as the Crown Mountain was about ready to run by this time last winter, but it has been so dry there is no telling when it will be able to start. The power is short at the Lockhart and if it does not rain soon operations will have to be suspended down there. At Whim Hill they are working in a shaft and have more water than is needed, particularily in taking out ore.

"Mining is a business and not a gamble," wisely and truthfully remarks the editor of the Western Trade Review, published at Chicago. "Mining is the cleanest, most legitimate and best paying business on earth. You are not taking the money from your neighbor's bank account and adding it to your own, thereby growing rich only as fast as your neighbor grows poor. But, you are extracting the wealth a wise providence has deposited in mother earth to the credit of those who are willing to open an account with nature's great storehouse of wealth, with their brain and muscle. You cash your checks at nature's great safety deposit vaults, and the more you draw out the more wealth you have added to the world. Opportunity lies equally within the reach of all. The power to see it is the difference in men. To lessen this difference is the duty of every man. To do this one must keep his hand on the pulse of the world—sense its movement and measure every opportunity that presents itself."

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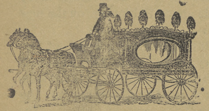

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To all whom it may concern:

Mrs. Sarah Ann Lance, widow of Joseph V. Lar ce, deceased, having in due form applied to the undersigned for a years support out of the estate of the deceased, and appraisers having made their return to me of the same, all persons concerned are hereby required to show cause if any they can before the Court of Ordinary of said county on the first Monday in December, 1903, why said application should not be granted.

Given under my hand and official signature. This the 3rd day of November, 1 03.

JOHN HUFF, Ord'y.

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Georgia's Gold Field.

Mr. Julius Brown of Atlanta, who recently visited this section in company with ex-postmaster Fox, makes a very flattering report to the Atlanta Constitution, about the mines of the county, a synopsis of which we give below:

"The gold fields of Georgia are among the richest in the world, says Julius L. Brown, who with Dr. Amos Fox, spent Thanksgiving day touring the District as the guest of men interested in the mining industries of that section.

Mr. Brown declares that he was as much astonished at what he saw as he had ever been in his life and that instead of being suspicious of gold mine propositions as be has been in the past he will hereafter consider Georgia gold lands as among the most choice investments.

The Jumbo mine was a revelation to me. They have two small shafts, one 30 feet deep and the other 35 feet. The mine is volcanic in its origin and we were shown nine veins running from 8 inches up to 12 feet wide through a part of one land lot. One vein, known as Mistletoe vein, was found only a few days before we got there, and I am sure, from prospects made on adjoining property, that other veins run through this same hill. The ore bearing body is about 900 feet wide. It is pierced by these veins and is about 100 feet above water level, where the two shafts are being dug, and run up to an elevation of 300 feet. On top of this hill, through which runs the line separating this property from the Cavender property, is a flume to bring waters from the Chestatee river, and the reservoir is built on top of this hill. No engineer could have located it better for Jumbo mine.

Dr. Fox and I had specimens taken from eight of the veins, and we had the rock pounded out in our presence, and had the sand washed, and every pan full of dirt yielded no less than 10 cents in gold, and from that it run as high as 25 cents. The whole mountain seems to be one mass of gold-bearing earth and stone. I brought some samples with me and will have them assayed.

I was shown assays made of these ores from different veins. The ores run from $4.50 per ton to $97.50 per ton. Mr. Moore, the president of the company; Mr. Joe Clements, its superintendent, and Mr. Fry, the engineer, have made money by practical mining, and are good judges. Mr. Fry worked seven years at the Homestead mines, and says Jumbo is much richer, and I believe that if these mines were out west that thousands of dollars would have been spent upon them for modern machinery, and millions of dollars would have been taken from them.

Now, this Dahlonega district is simply a revelation to me, and will be to your readers, and I believe that if such mines as the Barlow, the Garnett, the Crown mountain, the Auraria, the Wallace, the Singleton, the Lockhart, and the other mines in what is known as the Findley Ridge, including all the mines belonging to the Consolidated Company, were worked by modern process, there is no gold district in the world that would produce more gold than the Dahlonega district. I am told that the records show that no district of the same size, counting the imperfect system of mining, has produced as much gold as this Dahlonega district has produced. This is marvelous. I believe that if these mines were where prospectors could locate their claims, without having to pay expensive prices for lands, that this district would be the best in the world.

First, I want to say that I have no interest in any of these mines, whatever. I have always believed that a gold mine was a good thing to sell, but after seeing the Jumbo gold mine and these other mines, I feel satisfied that with proper management and with the same attention given to it as any other business, a gold mine would be a good thing to buy, and I am going to buy a little stock."

Paul Smith's Way.

Paul Smith of Adirondacks fame has a way of making everything he touches turn to money, although he has too kind a heart to squeeze any one for the sake of mere filthy lucre, says the New York Times. Some years ago the blacksmith of "Paul Smith's" was so unfortunate as to have considerable illness in his family, and he was forced to borrow $40, which he secured from Paul Smith. Every time the blacksmith saw Smith after that he would dun himself and Smith would invariably reply: "Never mind, never mind; when you get the money pay me, and don't worry about it"

So the debt ran on for four or five years. One summer the blacksmith met Paul Smith and made his usual excuses and apologies.

"Now, see here," said Smith "I wish you'd come up to my hotel and preach for my guests this afternoon." The blacksmith had a little local reputation as a preacher of homely sermons, but he was aghast at preaching before the "city folks" at the hotel. "You needn't be afraid," urged Paul. "They'll enjoy your plain sermon because it is so different from what they are accustomed to."

So the blacksmith went. But before he preached the sermon Paul made a little speech announcing that the preacher was an honest toiler who had met with misfortune and had hard work to support his family. The sympathies of the audience were touched, and at the conclusion of the sermon a collection was taken up amounting to $70. Paul took the money, beckoned the blacksmith out in to the woods, carefully counted out $40, which he put into his own pocket, and gave the remaining $30 to the blacksmith.

Alone With God.

Your life and mine, the life of every man and every woman, however different they are from one another, they are all in him. In Him there is the perfectness of every occupation; the perfect trading, the perfect housekeeping, the perfect handicraft, the perfect school teaching, they are all in Him. In Him lay the completeness of that incomplete act which you did yesterday. In Him lay the possible holiness of that which you made actual sin. In Him lies the absolute purity and loftiness of that worship which we this morning have stained so with impurity and baseness. To go to Him and get the perfect idea of life, and of every action of life, and then to go forth, and by his strength fulfil it, that is the New Testament conception of a strong, successful life. How simple and how glorious it is!—Phillips Brooks.

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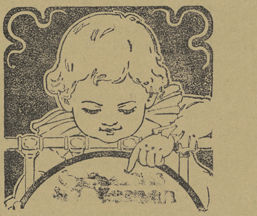

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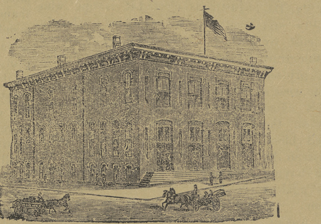

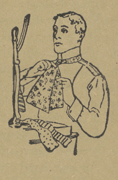

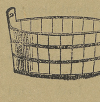

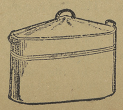

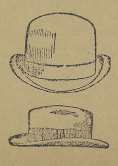

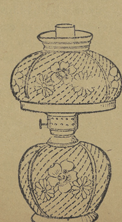

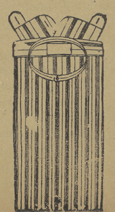

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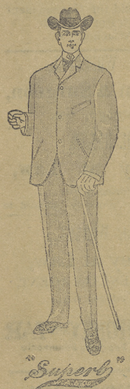

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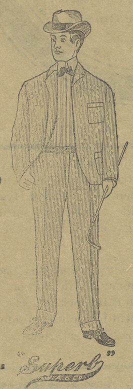

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ELLIJAY, GA., Dec. 2.—Hon. E. W. Watkins, of this place, today announced himself a candidate for congress from the ninth district. He will oppose Hon. F. Carter Tate, of Jasper, who at present represents the ninth in the lower house of congress.

Mr. Watkins is a successful business man and has represented his county in the halls of the Georgia legislature with honor to himself and to his constituents.

There are three principal planks in Mr. Watkins' platform. He advocates the separation of the races, giving to each a land where it can work out its destiny unhampered by the other. He is also in favor of the federal government pensioning all Confederate veterans who want it and care to accept it. His course regarding all tariff, financial and political questions, he declares, will be governed by the edicts of the Democratic party.

He announces himself a staunch advocate of the free rural mail delivery system and pledges himself to do all in his power to give every one the benefit of this system in the event of his election.

MR. WATKINS' ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. Watkins' announcement is as follows:

ELLIJAY, GA., Dec. 2, 1903.

To the Voters and Citizens of the Ninth Congreesional District:

I wish to announce to my fellow-citizens and voters that I am a candidate for congress, subject to the Democratic primary, and I ask your generous aid and support.

I want the office for the applaudits and emoluments attached and with an earnest desire that I may be of some service to my constituents and to that dear Southland for which I fought. The war is ended, but it left in its trail conditions and problems which will have to be settled sooner or later, and which, I fear, will tax to its limit the endurance of the Southern whites

In the midst of our fair Southland is an alien race, alien in its feelings, instincts and sympathies, and growing more so every day. Will our statesmen shut their eyes and close their ears till the thunder of racial conflict awakens them from their slumbers? We owe the negro race a great debt of gratitude, we owe them our sympathy and we owe them material help for past favors. What Southerner can forget the faithful blacks who ministered for four long and bloody years to our defenseless women and children with a fidelity unheard of before in the annals of mankind? It is said that these are nearly all dead now, and in their place an alien race now stands. Admitting the fact, is it just to the memory of our old "Mammys" and "Uncles" to furnish no hope for their prosperity? Will the Anglo-Saxon race submit much longer, in the North or South, to those brutal, unmentionable crimes which have caused such a dread and fear in every community where the negro resides? Is our white rural population to go on much longer with the nightmare of negro brutalities ever menacing their loved ones? Can two races totally dissimilar in every characteristic, two races the very antipodes of each other, reside peacefully side by side on equal terms? This history of the past fails to record a single instance. Without a hope of amalgamation by intermarriage, no such condition can last long. Who could entertain for one moment, without loathing, the thought of our high-born Caucasian blood mixing with that of the sons of Ethiopia? The present condition may last for a while, but anyone with an ounce of discernment can see but wreck and ruin in the future. Every day but adds to the peril.

Within a few years the congested centers of the North and foreign lands will begin to pour their surplus population into the South. Where, oh! where will the colored brother be then? Crowded to the wall by superior intelligence, with poverty and starvation staring him in the face, he will do deeds that will make the whole world shudder.

Why not use a little common sense and prudence while it is yet time? Our government, though its diplomatic channels, can obtain permission from Liberia or some European power with large areas of African territory to transport and colonize our colored population in some place where the climate is suitable; if not, we have the Philippines, which needs just such a race. Or we could reclaim some of our arid West and place them there, under the direct control of the government.

If elected to congress, I will introduce a bill to separate the races, and will press it with all the vim and energy of my manhood. The young, vigorous, child-bearing portion of the race could be moved first, the old ones, who are attached to the soil, could be allowed to spend the remainder of their days among those who now and forever will care for them best.

Neither the Southern whites nor the negroes are responsible for the present conditions of affairs, and properly presented, our generous government would lend a willing hand to help us solve the problem.

The poor old Confederate veteran who fought for what he thought was right is entitled to federal pensions, and their brave and gallant foes on the other side of the Mason and Dixon line will be only too glad to let them share in the bounty of the government. There may be some too proud to accept such aid, yet there are others who need and would accept it. Will it be treating the latter class right to withhold this pittance from them because our representatives, from motives of sentiment alone, refuse to ask for it?

When a man holds an office for a great while he sometimes becomes attached to certain interest and neglects many things which a man seeking to make a record and who is free and untrammelled would gladly do for his constituents. Indeed, frequent rotation of congressmen is necessary to properly safeguard the best interests of the people. For this reason, if for no other, I think we should change our representatives in congress occasionally and give it new blood, new ideas and new energy into our political life.

The tariff, financial and other political questions will demand their share of attention, and my course on each will be governed by the edicts of the Democratic party.

There are questions both political and non-political which will in the near future force themselves before the people for solution, among which are the race problem, the repeal of the amendments of the federal constitution growing out of the civil war, the reduction of Southern representation in congress resulting from restrictive suffrage. These issues will naturally be of absorbing interest to the South and should be discussed freely and dispassionately before the public.

Aside from his legislative duties, a representative in congress should work unceasingly with the deportment to secure for his constituents every improvement in the public service. We pay our part of taxation and should receive every benefit which any other community receives.

Some of our population is denied up-to-date mail facilities. It would be my pleasure and duty to do all I could to supply every home, however humble, the great benefit of rural free delivery and put them in touch with the best thought of the country.

My platform will be composed of the following planks:

1. Separation of the races, giving to each a land where it can work out its destiny unhampered by the other.

2. Pensioning the old Confederate veterans, letting those accept it who need it and want it without being barred by the laudable sentiments of those who are ably financially to do without it and who might probably misrepresent the rank and file.

3. I offer you my best record as a representative in the Georgia legislature and my successful business career of the past twenty-five years as a guarantee that your business and legislative interest will be fully and faithfully cared for.

With this brief announcement, fellow-citizens, I ask you to withhold any adverse judgment until I can open my active canvass of the district and explain myself fully on the stump.

In a short while I will arrange suitable dates on which to address the people of the various counties, and I trust you will give me a cordial welcome and attentive hearing, and, if elected, I pledge you my best efforts to win your approval.

Respectfully,
E. W. WATKINS.

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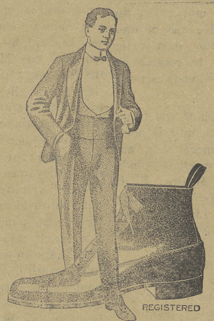

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Lime as a Fertilizer.

The writings of Pliny show that the Romans practiced the liming of soils more than two thousand years ago. England, Germany and France have used lime as a fertilizer, more extensively than any countries. Some parts of France which is of a granitic origin have undergoue an agricultural formation owing to the use of marl.

Ruffian is the most prominent of our early writers who has called attention to the use of lime in the United States. His work on "Calcureous Manures" was published in 1832. The Rhode Island Experiment Station has carried on a number of experiments with lime, and claim that soils benefitted by the use of lime, either on account of their acid condition or of a deficiency of lime, are very widely destributed. Probably about 99 per cent of the soils of the U. S. have never been limed.

Lime is one of the four essential ingredients of plant food, but it is not so important as either of the three ingredients—phosphoric acid, potash and nitrogen. Soils derived from mica—schists and sandstones are often deficient in lime and this is sometimes true of soils of limestone formations. If farmers are in doubt as to whether their soils need lime they can experiment with beets. Beets of all kinds make a ready response to liming on soils which are deficient in lime. For this purpose lay out two small plats and apply the same amounts of nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash to each. Apply lime at the rate of 1 or 2½ tons per acre. A comparison of the growth and yield of the two plats will furnish a safe means of judging whether the soil is deficient in lime or not.

The chemical action of lime on soils is valuable. In certain chemical compounds in the soil, lime takes the place of potash, thus forming a new compound and liberating the potash so plants can use it. In the case of turning under the heavy green crops, if there is a heavy application of lime it will prevent the formation of acid or sour humus which is noxious to most agricultural plants.

Lime produces physical effects which are beneficial, especially on clay soils which when wet by rains are not porous enough to allow the water to pass through them with sufficient rapidity and they become water-logged and the air which is necessary in the soil is excluded to some extent. With these soils lime floculates them, i. e., causes the small soil grain to unite, forming larger ones and thus rendering the soil more open and porous. Sandy soils are benefitted by the application of lime by rendering them more compact and they can thereby better retain their moisture. Lime assists in changing nitrogen in organic matter into nitrates, the form in which it is chiefly assimilated by plants, aids in the decomposition of organic matter and facilitates the work of bacteria on leguminous plants, particularly upon the sour soils.

However beneficial liming may be, it is injurious if applied in excesive amounts on light sandy soils. If freshly slacked lime is applied on such soils the decomposition of organic matter is unduly hastened, and the soil is rendered more open and less retentive of fertilizers and moisture. Under the above conditions freshly slacked lime should be applied in small quantities and not too frequent intervals.

Experiments at the Rhode Island Exp. Station have shown that the following crops were benefited by the use of lime: Lettuce, beets (all kinds), celery, onions, parsnip, canliflower, cucumber, eggplant, turnip, cantaloupe, asparagus, cabbage, pepper, pea, peanut, tobacco, sorghum, alfalfa, clover, barley, wheat, oats, timophy and blue grass.

Common sorrel and watermelons were injured by its use, while Indian corn, millet, rye, potatoes, carrots, redtop (grass), and the bent grasses are indifferent when supplied with large amounts of nitrogen.

CHAS. W. DAVIS,
N. G. A. C.

(To be continued.)

The Madison Advertiser believes in publicity. It says the people have a right to know what their poblic servants are doing. The minutes of all our county organizations, boards of education, county commissioners, city council, etc., should be published in our local papers. This is done nearly everywhere in Georgia.

It is claimed that Col. Jim Smith, the big farmer who owns 20,000 acres of land in Oglethorpe county, will sell his lands and move to Athens. Col. Larry Gnatt has the sale of the lands. It is thought that Mr. Smith will enter the race for governor two years hence. A bird in the hand is worth two in the bush and Mr. Smith ought to hold on to his lands.

THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, DEC. 17, 1903.

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Official Organ of both City and County.

Congressman Lamar of Florida, asks congress to impeach Judge Swayne, of the northern district of that state, on charges of crimes and misdemeanors.

At Sacramento, Cal., last week John H. Wood, the negro who led the convicts who escaped from Folsom prison last summer and who stabbed a guard to death, was found guilty of murder in the second degree. He was ordered to appear before the court at the end of 100 years to receive his sentence, as he is already serving a life sentence.

The office of clerk of the Superior court of this county is being sought for now more than any other. The prospective candidates so far are Messrs. F. L. Reese, W. H. Jones, W. J. Worley, M. E. Seabolt, Lindsey Cook, Henry Lee and Chalmus Stow, and others likely to come out. When you become fully determined to make the race send in your names for announcement and we will assure you the people of the county will soon find it out.

The amount of money saved by the state, selecting the school books is enormous. We have felt confident for some time that this would be a good plan and put in every word for its adoption that we possibly could, although some of our most influential citizens were against it. Hereafter the books will come direct from the press without any middle man profit—the profit goes to the patron of schools and benefits those who need it worse. Had our legislators done nothing else but passed this bill, they earned the money they received for the session.

The campaign is beginning to warm up and we wish to state to our friends that the columns of the NUGGET are open to any of the candidates wishing to make a "few scattering remarks," at reasonable figures. It is not likely that the NUGGET will take a stand for any democrat against another. It is a "family" matter, and you must settle questions that may arise yourselves. We will do our best to keep off the republicans. Then when the primary is held we will stick to the ones nominated like a sick kitten on a hot brick, whether we get our choice or not.

A preacher at the conclusion of one of his sermons said: "Let all in the house who are paying their debts stand up." Instantly every man, woman and child, with one exception, rose to their feet. The preacher seated them and said: "Now every man not paying his debts stand up." The exception noted a care-worn, hungry-looking individual, clothed in his last summer's suits, slowly assumed a perpendicular position. "How is it, my friend," asked the minister, "that you are the only man not to meet his obligations?" "I run a newspaper," he meekly answered, "and the brethren here who just stood up are my subscribers, and ——" "Let us pray," exclaimed the minister.

The great army of the United States pensioners must view with alarm, says the Savannah News, the action of Gov. Bliss of Michigan and a widow in Massachusetts who last week renounced their pensions on the ground that they did not need the money. Gov. Bliss receives a salary of $4,000 a year from the state, and the widow has just come into an inheritance, which circumstances led the two to inform the pension commissioner that they could get along comfortably without government aid. But are not these precedents dangerous to the pensioners? Suppose the people should become impressed with the idea that only those who need pensions ought to have them.

Rich, Rare and Racy.

When Col. H. P. Farrow, of the Queen of the Mountains, was in our city a few days ago, he laughingly told us of some fun he has a head. The Colonel knows a good thing when he sees it, and he wields a lively pen when he is in the right humor. All hotels and summer resorts are liable to be visited by persons who seek to "dead-beat" their way, but it is a rare thing for any person of prominence to attempt to "dead-beat" a summer resort in his own state. But there is a "lady in it"—yes, a love scrape and a disappointment. The "Judge" was a "widower"; he had a lovely "governess"; he was doubtless fondly looking forward to a happy "consummation"; he sent her with his children to "the Queen of the Mountains"; when the time come to return to the "Sea-board," he wrote the Colonel to have her and his children meet him in Atlanta on a certain day and to mail her bill to him and he would remit; of course the Colonel did it; they met in Atlanta; the "Judge" remitted for the children but "omitted" as to the beautiful "governess"; and "there hangs a tale"—rich, rare and racy! While at "the Queen of the Mountains" this beautiful and accomplished young "governess" met a young gentleman of one of the oldest and best families in Georgia, and a young man of wealth and social prominence, and the result was a love scrape and an engagement that in a little while resulted in a "happy consummation" and left the "Judge," poor fellow, in that peculiar state of mind which caused him to drift precipitiously into the error of supposing that this "remarkable concatenation of collateral circumstances" would justify him in repudiating an honest debt, and he wrote the Colonel accordingly. The Colonel cares nothing for the amount of money involved and has not nor will not permit the lovely wife of a most noble husband, now residing in a distant state, to know the result of that "remarkable concatenation of collateral circumstances," nor would he ever permit them to pay one cent of the "Judges'" debt. But the Colonel sees a little "fun ahead" and will sue on the account, thus making all the little incidents going to make up this "remarkable concatenation of collateral circumstances" matter of court procedure and we will have a reporter on hand and give our readers the experience of the "lower country Judge." It is not the money the Colonel is after but he wants a little "fun" out of that "remarkable concatenation of collateral circumstances" that precipitated the "lower country Judge" into such an attitude as to repudiate an honest debt.

The Cabbage Question.

EDITOR EAGLE: Not for one moment have I attached any importance whatever to the "eel worm" recently found in cabbage. But there is one phase of this question well worth our attention. It is this: Some people occasionally sprinkle Paris Green upon their cabbage for the purpose of killing the worms and other insects that prey upon the plant. For this purpose it is very effective. But Paris Green, as is generally known, is a deadly poison. A very small quantity of it will cause alarming symptons. When sprinkling on cabbage it is supposed that subsequent rains will wash it all away. This is a very dangerous practice. Paris Green should never, under any circumstances, be used for this purpose on cabbage.

Now, if it be true that anybody at all has been poisoned by eating cabbage, I suspect that Paris Green did it. L. C. ALLEN.

Hoschton, Ga.

A judge of the criminal branch of the New York city court has recently been making investigation in the line of cigarette smoking, and every criminal he asked admitted he smoked them.

Atlanta is flooded with counterfeit money—mostly quarters.

THE OLD RELIABLE

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The republicans will nominate their presidential candidate in Chicago.

The house committee of Congress is planing to cut down federal pensions.

Last week one of the biggest harness factories of the south was destroyed by fire at Buford, Ga.

Col. Underwood of White county, killed a ten-months-old hog recently that weighed 400 pounds.

By a small boy taking a handful of chestnues from a stand in Atlanta the other day, it caused him to have to work 80 days.

Dr. Dowie announces that he will build a high wall around Zion City for the purpose of keeping out worldly people.

Bob Middlebrook, col., was hanged at Cartersville last Friday for the murder of a bailiff at Adairville some time ago.

Rome Tribune demands a plank in the next platform calling for the free and unlimited coinage of eggs in December on a parity with July prices.

The many friends of Judge H. T. Lewis, former associate Justice of Georgia Supreme court, will regret to hear of his death, which occurred last week.

Bro. Craig of the Eagle, is a candidate for alderman in Gainesville, to fill the place made vacant by the resignation of Col. Howard Thompson, who was recently elected mayor. We hope Brother Craig will "land safe on high."

The State School Book Commission has at last made a report of its examination and adopted a uniform list of text books to be used in the public schools of Georgia. This is a splendid selection we think and marks a mile post in Georgia's educational progress. Now let us adopt a compulsory education system and we will soon reach the point where we will not be one of the leading states in illiteracy.—Southern World.

LIVER TROUBLES

"I find Thedford's Black-Draught a good medicine for liver disease. It cured my son after he had spent $100 with doctors. It is all the medicine I take."—MRS. CAROLINE MARTIN, Parkersburg, W. Va.

If your liver does not act regularly go to your druggist and secure a package of Thedford's Black-Draught and take a dose tonight. This great family medicine frees the constipated bowels, stirs up the torpid liver and causes a healthy secretion of bile.

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The City Mass Meeting.

At the city mass meeting last evening for the purpose of nominating a mayor and four aldermen W. A. Charters was elected chairman and W. S. Huff secretary, and the following is the result: For Mayor, R. H. Baker. For Aldermen, 1st Ward, E. B. Vickery. 2nd Ward, T. J. Smith, W. B. Townsend. 3rd Ward, J. E. McGee.

The vote stood as follows: For Mayor, R. H. Baker 81, M. J. Williams 46. For aldermen, 1st Ward, E. B, Vickery 70, Boyd Gurley 23. 2nd Ward; short term, T. J. Smith by acclamation; long term, W. H. Jones 33. W. B. Townsend 67. 3rd Ward, J. E. McGee by acclamation.

Hall county went "dry" this week by about 1600 majority. Something like 1800 votes were polled and only 34 "wet" ones cast in the county outside of Gainesville. We can't help but rejoice with the majority of the people of that county, even if we do live 25 miles away and scarcely ever visit that section.

Dr. J. D. Jennings, the optician of Gainesville, spent two days in Dahlonega this week examining and fitting people up with first-class glasses. The Doctor thoroughly understands the business and knows exactly what you need. We are glad to state that the Doctor thinks of making Dahlonega frequent visits, so as to accommodate all those needing his services.

In reply to Gov. Terrell, Gov. Frazier of Tennessee, writes that he has no jurisdiction over the Ducktown copper mines, and suggests an appeal to the federal courts.

Postmaster Tate requests that all persons mailing Christmas packages to write or print their return card on them.

Send in your job work and have it ready for the new year.

Shingles Wanted.

75,000 shingles wanted at Porter Springs, to be delivered by May 1st, 1904. Address:

HENRY P. FARROW,
Gainesville, Ga.

SHERIFF'S SALES.

Georgia, Lumpkin County.

Will be sold before the court house door of the county of Lumpkin, on the 1st Tuesday in January next, within the legal hours of sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following property to-wit:

The farming interest in and to lot of land number 165, in the 11th district of originally Hall now Lumpkin county, Georgia. Levied on as the property of Mrs. Louisa Crisson by virtue of and to satisfy an attachment fi. fa. issued from the Justices Court of the 837th District, G. M., of said county, in favor of The Frank W. Hall Mdse Company, H. D. Ingersoll, bearer, vs. the said Mrs. Lovisa Crisson. Levy made and returned to me by by E. Carroll, L. C. This the 2nd day of Dec. 1903.

J. M. DAVIS, Sheriff.

Georgia, Thomas County.

By virtue of an order of the Court of Ordinary of said County, will be sold at public outcry at the Court House in said County on the first Tuesday in January, 1904, between the usual hours of sale, to the highest bidder for cash: Lot of land, number Four Hundred and Forty-seven, lying in the fifteenth district and first section of the County of Lumpkin, said state, and containing thirty-nine and one-half acres, more or less; and to be sold as the property of the Estate of J. B. F. Dixon, deceased.

This December 1, 1903.

M. A. FLEETWOOD,
Administrator of J. B. F. Dixon.

Barbers and everybody else have been compelled to close up their shops on Sundays in Gainesville. Not even a soft drink or a cigar can be had on the day of rest.

Jerry Simpson declares that money is a dead issue in politics. So is the lack of socks as an argument for political preferment, says the Savannah News.

Blanks For Sale

At the NUGGET office you will find the following blanks:

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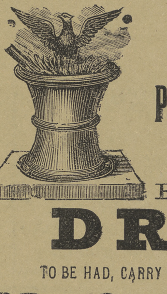

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Local News.

The Presbyterians are also going to have a Christmas tree.

We still keep nearly all kinds of blanks at the NUGGET office. Send for prices.

Mrs. Strickland and her son Garland leave for Swainsboro next Wednesday.

The house recently occupied by J. E. McGee is to rent cheap. Apply to M. J. Williams.

Fodder sold here last week as high as two dollars per hundred, but mind you it was No. 1 barn cured.

E. Woody, who it was reported had left his wife for the second time, has returned to this county.

Mr. James Smith of Dawson county, was bound over by Com. Baker here last week, charged with illicit distilling.

Last week a fellow brought in some chemical liquor that was awful mean. It loosened up some of their toe nails and removed several corns.

A few days ago a little five-year-old child of Mr. James Healand, tax receiver of this county, was severely burned by stepping into a pot of boiling water.

The tax collector will be here till next Saturday. Then the books will close and if you fail to settle by that time he will look after the matter in a special manner.

We regret to learn just before going to press that John Awtry; the little two-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Howard, died last night.

Anderson & Jones have just received a nice line of men and boys underwear. Also fassinators both cotton and wool. For quilts and capes call and see them when in need of anything.

On last Monday morning Mr. James Phillips' dog acted in such a manner as to cause the owner to believe it was mad and when the report of his shotgun was heard the dog fell dead, causing all uneasiness to come to an end.

Mr. Joseph Grizzle, who resides in this county, had the misfortune to lose his house and contents by fire last week while away from home. As usual in such accidents the people of Dahlonega were appealed to for help and they responded.

We see from a postal card that Ed Loveless, after working in the NUGGET office for about two years and a short time ago moved to Dawsonville, has gone to Marine, Texas, where he has a brother who has been in that state for several years.

The graded school at this place, was established more than four years ago, and Miss Pearl Rice, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Rice, has never as much as missed a half a day from school during all this time. Is there any other pupil in Georgia that has attended school as steadily as Miss Pearl?

Last week our sanctum was visited for the first time by the new Methodist minisiter at this place, Rev. J. D. Turner, who came with a dollar and had his name registered in our office as a twelve months reader to the NUGGET. Mr. Turner seems to be liked by every one who has had the pleasure of meeting him, and a gentleman who takes with the people in this way is bound to accomplish much good.

Don't forget that Anderson & Jones sell the best clothing for the least money of any one in town. A good stock and the best line of mens and youths pants ever brought to Dahlonega. They also take orders for suits. Can get them in about seven or eight days from the date of the order. They have them made from sample just as the customer desires. Don't fail to call on them when in need of clothing. They also have a nice line of dress shirts, neckwear, hats and shoes.

A few more men's and youth's suits at H. D. Gurleys. Also ladies' wraps at actual cost.

The Signal editor announced last week that his paper would not appear any more until the first week in January.

Gordon Walker, a brother of our city marshal, returned last week from Texas, after an absence of nine months.

Only eight more days until that great holiday arrives and Santa Clause will come, but not to visit the very poor.

Quit borrowing your neighbors paper. It is dangerous. The devil will catch every one that does it. We mean the printers devil.

The ordinary informs us that the vouchers for all Confederate pensioners have been received at his office, and all interested are requested to come in at once.

Mr. Henry King cut his right leg above the knee one day this week so as to render him unable to work. He was grinding his ax and the sharp tool slipped out of his hand.

Although it was very cold last Thursday, a lady of this county, drove an ox team herself and brought a load of produce to town. Lumpkin county can produce some of the smartest ladies on the globe.

The nicest line of Xmas goods in town at H. D. Gurleys. Tool chests, vaces, books, &c. Many suitable presents for both ladies and gentlemen. Also fresh nuts and candies. All at very low prices.

Gentle reader, some times it is very unpleasant for us to use the name of a friend in giving the news, nevertheless we do it in order to carry out our promise in the beginning of the publication of the NUGGET several years ago.

The recent change of fast time to slow at the postoffice at this place caused our citizens to get their mail from Gainesville half an hour later than when fast time was kept at both the Gainesville and Dahlonega post offices. So it has been changed back to fast again.

A lady residing in Alabama writes as follows about the NUGGET: "Please don't fail to send my paper as long as it can be paid for. I think —— can make a little money anyway —a dollar for the NUGGET. We must have it if we do without bread. Send it on and do not fail."

During Christmas we are going to transfer the names of our subscribers to a new book and those who have failed to renew will be left off. This means you if you have neglected to comply with our request. We are not in the business alone for pleasure. Now do not neglect this matter if you wish your paper continued.

All parties indebted to T. J. Smith & Bro. by note or account, who do not settle or make satisfaction, will find their notes and accounts in the hands of officers after December 25th. Do not wait and have a bill of cost run up on you. We have to meet our obligations, therefore we must collect, T. J. SMITH & BRO.

The state commission at its recent meeting adopted one book that is used in the schools of this county, being Fields' History of the United States, which is quite a compliment to the state as well as to Lumpkin county, as the author used to live in Dahlonega. Swanston's Word Book and Evans' History of Georgia, used in Lumpkin, was also adopted.

A good deal of snuff use to be manufactured from old cigar stumps, picked up on the streets by boys in cities, and we guess it is done yet. Now what about ladies using a stuff made from pieces of cigars, often thrown down by consumptives? We know of ladies residing in Dahlonega who pass off the time at home dipping snuff, whose husbands are not aware of it, and yet they would whip one of their children if they were to use tobacco, which is a more cleaner habit.

Eggs are 25 cents a dozen.

The letter from "Voter" will appear next week.

Mr. J. H. McKee paid Dahlonega a visit last Saturday and Sunday.

At T. J. Smiths you will find oranges, coconuts and a nice fresh lot of candies.

Dolls, go-carts and Chinaware, something real nice for Christmas, at W. P. Prices, Jr.

You will find Zebolin and all the latest dress fabricks just received at H. D. Gurleys.

Remember that Santa Claus has deposited some of the nicest things in town at the drug store.

Nothing was done by the city council last Monday except the auditing of some accounts.

Next Saturday is the city election. Let all come out and vote whether you got your choice in the mass meeting or not.

At J. H. Moores you will find cabbage, pork, beef, sausage, onions, sweet potatoes, beans, peas, cow feed and every thing else you need.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Worley of Gainesville, returned to Dahlonega, their old home, this week. We understand they expect to move to Tennessee.

When the family of Rev. J. D. Turner arrived last Thursday the ladies of the city had a nice, warm supper prepared and gave one and all a hearty welcome.

Rev. Mr. Taylor of Blue Ridge, Ga., will preach at the Baptist church in Dahlonega next Sunday. It may be that Mr. Taylor will be called to preach at this church during the coming year.

Rev. Mr. Turner, the new pastor at the Methodist church at this place, has had a crowded house every time he preached yet. The people like him and love to hear him talk.

Go to Cavender's Creek Merchandise Co., at Wild, Ga., for bargains. They carry a nice line of dry goods, notions, ready made clothing, guns, ammunition, and in fact everything kept in a general store, at the lowest price ever known for cash. Go and see for yourself. A. W. ANDERSON, Gen. Manager.

After next June all mail carriers will have to be able to read and write so they can deliver people's mail all along the line. This will throw some carriers out of employment that we know of in this county. Such as this should encourage the children to go to school, so as to be able to ride the tide of life when they grow older.

The Royal Arch Masons had their election of officers last Tuesday evening. Col. R. H. Baker was elected High Priest and Mr. W. H. Jones Secretary. The other officers names we have not yet learned. After the meeting the members and their families met at Hall's Villa and partook of an oyster stew and spent several hours in a sociable manner.

An old time meeting was held at the Baptist church here last Sunday by Revs. Mr. Blackburn and West, who have been conducting services in the outskirts of town at residences for some time. The organ was let rest and everybody assisted in the singing of good old songs. The door of the church was opened and eleven joined—four by letter, being the largest number that has joined any one church in Dahlonega for many years.

Upon an examination made by Dr. Jennings the other day, it was discovered that one of our eyes was much lamer than the other. However, he fitted us up with a pair of glasses (please don't let the ladies know that we wear specks) till we can give the news both right and left, backward and forward, going and coming and see the figure on a dollar bill ten feet off, more or less, Try us when wanting the NUGGET and see if we are not correct.

Mr. George Jenkins of this place, has moved to Alabama.

We received fifteen new subscribers by last Sunday's mail at one time.

A few of Hicks' 1904 Almanacs for sale at this office. Call before they are all gone.

Mr. Turner Quillian of Hall county, visited relatives at this place last Saturday.

FOR SALE.—A yoke of cattle 5 years old, weighing about 1,000 pounds each. Apply to R. C. Payne, Dahlonega, Ga. 2t

One of our subscribers, whose post office is at Randa, Ga., says that he walks four miles and a half every week to the office after his paper.

The last issue of the NUGGET for 1903 will appear on the 24th inst. Then we will take a weeks rest and you will not see the NUGGET any more till the first week in 1904.

Capt. J. W. Woodward went down to Gainesville last week to attend the funeral of his mother. He has the sympathy of the entire community in the loss of his much loved parent.

At B. R. Meaders & Sons you will find a nice line of fresh stick, bucket and fancy candies. Also toys for the babies, and the nicest line of jewelry ever brought to the city. Also a beautiful line of pictures, and don't forget that South Georgia syrup. It is fine.

We received a letter last week from our old friend and former townsman, Mr. S. A. Kelley, who still resides in Texas. It will be remembered that he was reported here as being dead once, but we are glad to say that he is still alive and a weekly reader of the NUGGET.

Last week a fellow brought in some awful mean chemical liquor. Those who drank it pretty freely suffered considerably. One fellow vomited up the lining of his stomach, another had his nose turned up-side down. We took a drink of it and a big corn was soon removed from our little toe.

"Bully" Strickland died in Mill Creek district a few days ago, aged near 80. A number of years ago "Bully" killed a negro in self defense, yet he imagined that he could often see him. It seems that the deceased was a very wiked old man, as he cursed nearly all the time, either sick or well.

A case of smallpox developed at Maj. Tillsons last Monday, being his son, John, which we are glad to state, is of a very mild form. However, the house has been quarantined and the Major passes off the time in feeding his turkeys and chickens and riding one of his horses around in the lot.

At the request of parties no prayer meeting was held at the Methodist church last night. The pastor said that he would give way for the town meeting, as it was a very important thing to have good city government. His only request was for all to come out to the church next Wednesday. Let all that can attend.

Old Uncle Billie Watkins died last Friday night in the western portion of this county and his body was laid to rest in the cemetery at Hightower church last Sunday in the presence of many people. The deceased was born in 1824, and has many acquaintances and friends who will regret to hear of his death.

The fire fiend seems to be pretty successful up in the western portion of the county. Only a few nights ago a dwelling belonging to Rev. J. E. Blackburn was burned. Later a stable belonging to Mr. W. A. Fitts went the same way, and on last Sunday night a dwelling kitchen and a store house belonging to Sam Anderson were laid in ashes. Sam left a few days ago for Kentucky and was accused of reporting illicit distillers. A reporter's property up there is in danger as well as persons who are either rented or leased to those making a business of reporting their neighbors.

Mining Notes.

The NUGGET gives more reliable mining news than any other paper published in Georgia.

In drifting from No. 2 to No. 1 shaft at the Jumbo mine this week they struck another large new vein.

Mr. Campbell is still prospecting down on the Standard property, and crushing what custom ore is sent to the Singleton mill, not having enough water to run the mill and giant for the company.

A number or ladies accompanied the party from the north to see The Dahlonega Gold Mining and Milling Co's properties. They were certainly as enthusiastic as the gentlemen participating in the panning of gold.

Mr. Joel T. Miller, The Dahlonega Gold Mining and Milling Company's Superintendent, a resident director, had "his hands full" taking care of the large party brought to see the mines by Messrs. Disney and Rush.

The Dahlonega Gold Mining and Milling Co. recently cut into placer mining several dollars to the yard. When they succeed in getting a sufficient amount of water to hydraulic the deeper part of their placer, old miners and all acquainted with the ground claim that this will be a daily occurrence.

Dr. Garver, of Nebraska, is spending several days at Auraria. The Doctor is interested in The Dahlonega Gold Mining and Milling Co., and does not miss an opportunity to visit the Company's property. Doctor has not only increased his holding from time to time but advises his friends to invest all their surplus capital in the company's treasury stock.

Just before Mr. Ainsle, the president of the Dahlonega Consolidated Co., went into the hospital to have the second operation performed, he wrote Capt. Ingersoll here that if he got well he would come down and start up the mines, but if he didn't he would resign and let some one else take his place. Mr. Ainsle died last week and nothing can be done in the way of the company mining until a new president is elected.

The mill down at the McAfee-Lin mine is moving right along with splendid success. The ore is good and the machinery moves like clock work. Dr. McAfee and Mr. Lin were both present last week when the mill was started and they coudn't be better pleased. As the development work has progressed, more valuable veins have been discovered. The last one struck is an eye-opener, as it pans from one to two pennyweights to the panful. It is one of the best gold mines in the county and being in charge of Mr. W. H. McAfee, an old native miner of many years experience in the business, it is bound to pay.

Messrs. W. I. Rush and R. S. Disney have again broken their record bringing investors to Georgia that they might be given an opportunity to thoroughly investigate The Dahlonega Gold Mining and Milling Co's great properties. Mr. Rush and Disney are certainly pursuing the proper course in bringing these gentlemen down to see for themselves, where everything is turned over to them and every possible assistance is rendered, that they may satisfy themselves beyond doubt of the great value of the immense bodies of saprolites and the small expenses and great profits [mining them with water. The Company's great placer is already a sight for the Gods. Already they have a giant washing out the beautiful yellow metal. Are now constructing a canal that when completed will bring a large body of water on a high elevation on the Company's property and which will enable them to operate 3 to 5 more giants. They will also build one of the best dredge boats to dredge out gold from that part of the Chestatee river running through the Company's property, which is a mine itself. The party consists of Chicago, Kansas City and Nebraska people. All are well pleased and are purchasing stock to the man, declaring most emphatically that "the half was never told."

We have been asked if the reports about the richness of The Jumbo Gold Mine are true. If we had not known it you would not have observed such mention in the columns of the NUGGET. We are not interested a dollar in any of the gold mines of this country, and not partial towards a single one of them. We are very careful about our mining reports, and often visitors find the properties much richer than represented. We prefer this in order that no one be deceived. It is to our interest and to the interest of the country. In clipping articles from other papers written by parties visiting any of the mines here we first satisfy ourselves that the author is not exagerating. We do this to show our readers that we are not excited, for all, both far and near, see the value of the properties that we report upon alike after a personal investigation. And in giving us the news should any one misinform us about any mine in this county our readers will certainly be made aware of the fact in due time. Some times bad management causes mines to fail. Such is the case in all other business. For this we are not responsible, as it occurs in some of the richest gold mining countries in the world.

Last week was a week of active work at the Josephine Mine. More men were put to work on the dam which is nearing completion, and as soon as lumber can be hauled it will be finished. Then work will be resumed on the water way, which will be large enough to carry the entire Etowah River direct to the mill. Then it will be pumped by water power to an elevation three hundred feet above the river to a reservoir for the storage of water for hydraulic purposes. This week work will be done on raising and repairing the mill preparatory to placing machinery. When all is completed in this line mill runs will be made until the hydraulic works are ready, as the latter plan cheapens the cost of production, and in fact is the only way to work the Josephine, as the great water supply can bring down hundreds of tons daily direct to the mill and lessens the cost of mining to only a few cents per ton. Capt. Jaquish has carefully estimated the cost of working this mine by hydraulicing and he says it can be mined and milled at 70 cents per ton. Dr. Herbert Toney of the U. S. Assay office at 30 Wall Street, New York City, who has been connected with this office for the last forty years, and who has held the position as chief assayor for twenty-five years, examined this property. His report is valuable, as ten years previous to his examining the Josephine, he reported on the noted Hand Mine in this county, and the operation of this mine has since demonstrated the correctness of his report. Dr. Toney reports from samples he superintended taken from the Josephine averaging $6.47 per ton.

Wishing to carry out a portion of the Scripture which says, "Love thy enemies," we spoke to one the other day when we met him, but not a word did he utter. The shock was so sudden and so great that it caused us to take the cramp colic. Whether it was a judgement sent on us for being so foolish or the magnetism he possesses, which he uses on such occasions, we are at a loss to know, but if the Lord will forgive us for speaking to him this time we will not do so any more. The unpleasant feeling he has towards us was caused by the Gunn-NUGGET controversy. Every time Mr. Gunn would bark this man would growl, and when we growled back it made him mad.

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There are many symptoms of heart disease, which so closely resemble those of more common nervous disorders as to frequently mislead the attending physician. Often in cases of heart trouble the stomach, kidneys, liver or lungs become affected. Again the symptoms may be those of weakened nerves, as tired feeling, sleeplessness, timidity, the patient is easily excitable and apt to worry without cause. If you have the least suspicion that your heart is weak study your symptoms and begin the use of Dr. Miles' Heart Cure, the great heart and blood tonic, without a day's delay.

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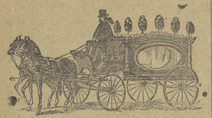

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New Jersey Winter Signs.

Unless all signs fail the coming winter will be one of unusual severity, according to the prognostications of the weather sharps, says a Morristown, N. J., dispatch.

Joe Harris says that turkeys have double strength breast bones, which is always a sign of cold weather,

Ed Ross says that coons have three sets of hair this year.

Jerry Dugan says that the evergreen trees have three times as much foilage as usual.

Hiram Melroy reports extra sweet-breads in spring pigs.

Jim Anderson says all rabbits that have been killed this fall have six heavy front teeth.

Frank Gibbs says that flag stones sweat frost every morning.

Hank Bunnell comes forward with the story that fresh-water fish have two sets of scales.

Sam Gardner has noticed that the shingles of most houses have grown a coat of hair, or futz as it is sometime called.

Jim Blitho declares that turtles and snakes are hibernating at twice their usual depth.

Charley Hullender claims that squirrels have denuded the forest of nuts of all kinds.

All at which, it is agreed, points to a return of good old-fashioned sleighing.

In a recent issue there appeared in these columns an article pertaining to the manner in which the majority of the ministers were pretending to preach the gospel, but instead were making merchandise of it.

That this is true, is fully demonstrated by the manner in which the pretended spiritual welfare of the ones who contribute the largest amount to the church is nurtured and looked after by the preacher, while that of those who contribute the widow's mite is passed unnoticed.

Soon after the paper had been issued a gentleman of the clerical stripe, who had become offended at the article walked into the office, and after pounding on a counter nearby the door like a a devil on hyeans, paid up his subscription and walked out.

Why he should have become offended we are at a lost, unless he feared the paper might fall into the hands of his members (a goodly number of whom are subscribers) and that his next Sunday's collection would fall short.

No, brother, it is not our desire to pull down the churches, or even try to lower the standard of religion, but to show that there are divisions which should not be, and that the preachers are after the loaves and fishes.—Forest-Blade.

Seldom has there been a better illustration of the folly of fraud than the case of a woman who, when she moved away from town thirty seyen years ago, left a newspaper subscription unpaid. The debt weighed on her conscience until she grew morbid and could not sleep, and for years she suffered from insomnia. A few weeks ago, on the advice of her lawyer, she paid the bill, then went to bed and slept soundly till 10 o'clock the next morning. Now she wishes she had been honest long ago.

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A Lucky Girl.

"What a perfectly beautiful bracelet, and isn't that lace collar a dream! Real Italian, isn't it?" said Bertha's admiring friend, according to the Detroit Free Press.

"Yes; and wasn't I lucky to get them. I didn't tell you how it happened, did I? Well, it was this way. You know Cousin George has been in Europe for about two years, and he was engaged to some one here—so he says. Well, anyway, he brought her the most beautiful lot of things, but he wanted to make sure she really cared for him, so, before he went to see see her, he wrote and told her he had lost all his money. I suppose she concluded there wasn't anything in it for her, so she wrote him the frostiest note in reply! And, of course, he didn't go to see her at all after that. Then he didn't care what became of the things, so he just tossed them all over to me. Wasn't I lucky?"

"And wasn't I a fool!" thought the other girl.

Turkish Proverbs.

To the well man every day is a feast day.

Today's egg is better than tomorrow's hen.

The master of the house is the guest's servant.

Two watermelons cannot be held under one arm.

He who has not rest at home is in the world's hell.

The mouth is not sweetened by saying honey, honey.

If you have to gather thorns do it by the stranger's hand.

With patience sour grapes become sweet and the mulberry leaf satin.

By the time the wise man gets married the fool has grownup children.

Be not so severe that you are blamed for it nor so gentle that you are trampled upon for it.

Give a swift horse to him who tells the truth, so that as soon as he has told it he may ride and escape.

The following is going the rounds as a joke on a popular magistrate. A woman in a domestic brawl bit off a piece of her husband's ear. The magistrate charactered the assault as a degrading and disgusting case, but as the woman had no previous conviction added that he would merely bind her over to keep the peace, to which she replied that she was sorry that she could not do that as she had given the peace to the cat.

The following truth was uttered by a wise but unsophisticated philosopher: "The country papers have many faults, they make many blunders and leave undone many good works. Yet when you follow them month after month you are convinced of the loyalty with which they stand by their community, and the constancy with which they preach the doctrine of citizenship and fair play in all things."

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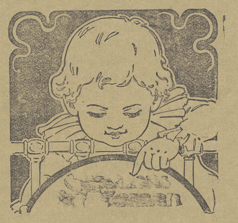

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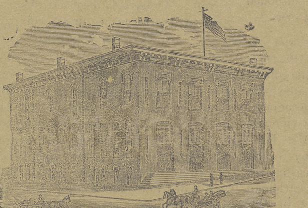

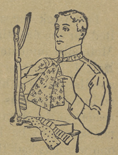

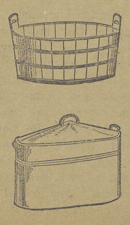

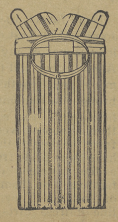

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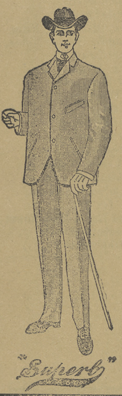

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It is difficult to determine just how frequent liming should be practiced. Much depends upon the character of the soil, the crops to be grown and the order of their succession and the number of years given to the rotation of crops. As a rule from half a ton to one and a half tons of lime per acre applied every five or six years is sufficient. It would be safe to apply two or three tons on every acid soils which have been seeded with the intention of allowing the land to remain in grass for several years.

Caustic or slacked lime should be applied in autumn, particularly on light sandy soils and where plants are to be grown which are little helped by lime. Applied in the spring it not only injures plants directly, but also indirectly by rendering the physical condition of the soil unfavorable. It may also make the soil so alkaline as to interfere with the activity of the organisms which transforms ammonia into nitrates which is readily assimilated by plants. This injury cannot be permanent as the carbonic acid in the soil changes the caustic lime into the carbonate form and thereby greatly reduces the alkalinity of the soil.

Do not apply lime to the land and then turn it under. Lime has a tendency to work downward in the soil and if plowed under it would soon be beyond the reach of the seeding roots of most plants. A better way would be to scatter it on freshly plowed land and harrow it in. It should be harrowed immediately after it is scattered on the land to prevent its taking up water which would cause it to cake or form a mortar, rendering it difficult to mix very thoroughly in the soil.

Caustic lime made by the burning of limestone is the most economical form to purchase, but gypsuno (land plaster), marl and phosphate of lime is often used. A ton of limestone will produce about 1200 pounds of caustic lime; hence it is economy to burn the lime near where the stones are quarried.

Gypsum is a combination of lime with sulphuric acid and water. When gypsum is heated it looses its water and is converted into plastor of paris which is much used for industrial purposes. Plastor of paris is not so economical as the caustic lime. It contains only about one-third as much lime and usually costs more per ton. It is better for renovating "black alkali" soils in arid regions than slacked lime.

Phosphate of lime is valuable both for the lime and phosphoric acid which it contains. It is the well-known South Carolina, Florida and Tennessee phosphate rock, but the best grades of phosphate rocks contain small amounts of carbonate of lime.

Unleached wood ashes contain about 30 per cent of lime, 7 per cent potash and 1 to 2 per cent of phosphoric acid. Leached ashes contain more lime but only about 1 per cent. of potash. Coal ashes have no value as a fertilizer.

CHAS. W. DAVIS,
N. G. A. C.

The most desperate thief of the season burglarized the pest house at Fort Wane, Ind., the other night and carried away a lot of bedding that had been used by smallpox patients. No doubt later on the thief will meet his just reward even if he doesn't fall into the hands of the officers.

Subscribe for the NUGGET.

Cigarette Smokers.

A magistrate in Harlem court, New York City, uttered a very significant statement the other day when he said:

"Yesterday I had before me thirty-five boy prisoners. Thirty-three of them were confirmed cigarette smokers. Today, from a reliable source, I have made the gruesom discovery that two of the largest cigarette manufacturers in this country soak their product in a weak solution of opium."

If the day covered eight hours in business, the court was kept busy with this hord of young boys all the time, and thirty-three were confirmed cigarette smokers.

It has been understood for a considerable time that some cigarettes and some brands of snuff had "dope" qualities. Doubtless this insures there popularity with those who enjoy the doped articles.

Opium is like whisky, it creates a growing appetite, grows with what it feeds upon. The cigarette smoker enjoys the dope sensation and after a time he is as craving for the sensation as he is for the taste and smell of tobacco.

Never a day passes that some murder, homicide or trouble with police is not chronicled. How much is due to doped tobacco which is used no one can tell, of course, but opium is a true ally of bad whisky, and its victims are generally addicted to the other voice.

The history of cigarette using by young boys would be a startling revelation to many of their mothers if they understood the alarming proportions to which it has grown in this country. It is a deadly habit in the most cases, and when the cigarettes are steeped in a dope drug to drown the senses of the user the crime is diabolical.—Ex.

Her Married Career.

Louisville, Ky., December 9.—Mrs. Elizabeth Martin started early in life to feather her nest well, and has always had her eye on the main chance. She has been a bird from the start, beginning life a Miss Elizabeth Bird, of Harrison county, near Paris, Ky. Her first venture outside of the home nest was when she married Bird Martin. When Mr. Martin died she married Edward E. Crow, a prosperous farmer. When the time came to change nests she allied herself with William Robbin and lived happily until the matrimonial season for Mrs. Robbin again roll around. Then Darid Buzzard, a widower, more attractive personally and socially than his name would indicate, appeared, and to day Mrs. Robbin became Mrs. Buzzard. Into the Buzzard's roost Mrs. Buzzard carried one little Martin, two little Crows and one little Robin. One little Buzzard was already there to welcome the other birds.

"It is an ill wind that blows no good" to the man who has the advertising instinct. The other day in New York a young husband attacked a passenger on a street car whom he accused of making googoo eyes at his wife. A prominent candy manufacturer (who shall be nameless here) followed the young man to the station house and went on his bond, although a stranger, because he admired the way he had defended his wife. Of course the candy man's name got in all the papers with the story of his offering to put up his factory, worth $30,000, as security for the young husband's appearance.

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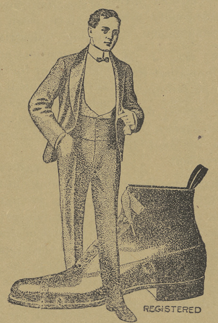

ALL KINDS OF SHOES FOR Ladies and Gents

PRICES REASONABLE.

Came to Get Certificate, Went to Jail.

On Tuesday last two men got off the 9 o'clock train. They went to the Ordinary's office. They were F. M. Hogg and J. W. Bryant, of Bessemer, Ala. Bryant, who was reared here, wanted to marry Hogg's daughter. Hogg demanded a certificate that he had not been married before, and they came all the way from Bessemer to find out the facts about him.

The Ordinary showed them his books, disclosing the fact that no license had been issued in Cobb.

One or two parties told Hogg that as far as known to them Bryant was all right. Being satisfied, then went to the depot to take the 11 o'clock train back to Atlanta. They sat down in Anderson's stable. Meantime Simp Jackson learned they were here and knew something of interest to them. He told the sheriff to find them. He went to find them himself. He found them at the stable and invited Bryant to remain in the city at the county's expense.

Bryant had skipped his bond here some time ago and Jackson was on it. Having placed Bryant in jail, Jackson told Hogg his record. He had a wife and child in Canton, having married to get out of jail.

Hogg, who seemed to be a nice man, returned to Bessemer to tell his daughter to change her plans.
—Cobb County Courier.

Profit In Early Tomatoes.

Growing and marketing tomatoes is an important branch of farming on the garden and truck farms about Providence. The soil of the greater part of the county is suitable for their culture, and in some portions exceptionally early ones are produced. The soil is in a large part of the towns bordering upon the city a light sandy loam, such as is just right for early forcing crops, and this helps the tomato grower. Plants started in hotbeds will bear as early as the middle of July in good season, and at that time fabulous prices are received for the fruit. Sometimes, as during the past season, the early figure is as high as $5 a bushel, and the tomatoes that are raised early are not of surprisingly good quality. Two dollars to $3 is a common price for early fruit, and it will drop sometimes in two weeks to about $1. This year the season was backward and tomotoes were late.—American Cultivator.

CITY DIRECTORY

SUPERIOR COURT.

3rd Mondays in April and October. J. J. Kimsey, Judge. Cleveland, Ga. W. A. Charters, Solicitor General, Dahlonega, Ga.

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COUNTY OFFICERS.

John Huff, Ordinary.
John H. Moore, Clerk.
James M. Davis Sheriff.
E. J. Walden, Tax Collector.
James L. Healan, Tax Receiver.
V. R. Hix, County Surveyor.
Joseph B. Brown, Treasurer.
D. C. Stow, Coroner.

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CITY GOVERNMENT.

R. H. Baker, Mayor.
Aldermen: E. S Strickland, J. E. McGee, F G. Jones. J. W. Boyd, T. J. Smith. W. P. Price, Jr.
Wm. J. Worley, Clerk.
Geo. W. Walker, Marshal.

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RELIGIOUS SERVICES.

Baptist Church —— ————, Paster. Services Sunday at 11 and at night. Prayer meeting Thursday night.
Sunday School at 9 o'clock.
Methodist—Services every Sunday at 11 and at night. Rev. J. D Turner, Pastor. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night.
Sunday School at 9 o'clock.
Presbyterian—Services only on 1st and 3rd Sundays.
D. J Blackwell, pastor.
Sunday School 9 a. m.

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MASONIC.

Blue Mountain Lodge No. 38, F. & A. M., meets 1st Tuesday night of each month.
R. H. BAKER, W. M

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K. of P.

Gold City Lodge No. 117, Dahlonega, Ga, meets in their Castle Hall, over Anderson & Jones' store, the first and third Mondays in each month at 8, p. m. All visiting brothers who are in possession of the S. A. P. W. are hereby cordially invited to attend all meetings. W. W. Crissor, C. C., W. E. Ricketts, V. C. D. J. Blackwell, P.; D. C. Stow, R. R. & S.; F. M. Meaders, M. of F.; Wharton Anderson, M. A.

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THE NUGGET.

DAHLONEGA, DEC. 24, 1903.

Entered at the Dahlonega, Ga. P. O as Second Class Matter.

Official Organ of both City and County.

Chicago wants the Democratic National Convention to meet there.

The city officials of Rome have declared war against toy-guns and pistols.

Three white boys and a woman were arrested in Atlanta last week for stealing toys.

Not including the convict hire of the state, Lumpkin county gets $4,723.74 public school money.

At Hawkinsville, Ga., J. M. Fitzgerald killed himself last week on account of business failure.

At Olney, Ill., a Hearst democratic club was organized last week. They seem to want the New Yorker for president.

Lee Cribb was hanged at Douglas last Friday for killing a fifteen-year-old boy. He said that his downfall was due to whiskey.

A tramp made one of the churches of Atlanta his headquarters until the police were notified, then he disappeared for newer fields.

Two hundred and fifty-thousand dollars are now being paid out to the public school teachers of Georgia for the third month's salary.

After the installation of the new town authorities in January, Ball Ground will go "dry," with the exception of what the blockaders carry in.

In the Northeast Georgia oratorical contest at Gainesville last week, S. O. Smith of that city, won the first prize and J. H. Ford of Habersham county, the second.

Last Thursday Freeman Epps, a well known citizen of Macon, was found dead sitting in a rocking chair in the rear of his home whom is believed to have frozen to death.

A six-months-old white child was found in a pile of cinders at Augusta the other day. It was stripped and supposed to be drugged and placed there to freeze by some hard hearted mother.

A $20,000 saddle will be exhibited in Mexico's display at the World's Fair. It is the property of President Diaz, having been presented to him by Colonel Cartina of the Mexican army.

At Berkeley, Cal., W. A. McKowen, secretary of the board of regents of the State University has discovered to be short $20,000, who has been suspended and placed under arrest. Betting on horse races caused his downfall.

Mr. G. H. McGuire, the Dahlonega jeweler, will move to Dawson county first of the year. Mr. McGuire is one of Lumpkin's best citizens and we are glad that he and his family are coming to our county to reside.—Dawsonville Advertiser.

"J. D. Rockefeller has given a practical and munificent birthday gift to the latest addition to his family, simply by putting another cent a gallon on the price of refined petroleum. Thus the whole grateful country contributes also to celebrate the 'natal' event."

Pension Commissioner John W. Lindsey has completed the work of sending out pension blanks to the counties of the state, and the first week in January he will commence paying pensions. The total amount to be disbursed by the state in this way amounts to nearly $1,000,000.

A colored man at work on the railroad in Rabun county murdered a white employee named Sewell. He was tried and bound over until the regular term of the Superior court of Habersham. An attempt was made to lynch him and he was sent to Gainesville for safe keeping.—Cleveland Courier.

State Mining Schools.

There is a demand arising in the west, says the Atlanta Constitution, for a new department of government, to be called "The Department of Mines and Mining," with a secretary who shall be also a cabinet officer. The mining interests of the nation are large and important, no doubt, but it is scarcely probable that congress will think those interests now, or in the future, so urgently important as to require a separate department and cabinet member.

We would rather see the bill by Congressman Tate, of our state, become a law first. It provides for the establishment of mining schools in such states as have mining industries to promote. Appropriations at the rate of $10,000 per year for such schools are to be made until the annual budget for each reaches $50,000 per year, when the appropriation is to remain permanently at that figure.

Georgia needs just such a school. Her mining interest, especially for gold, in northeast Georgia, are improving every day and will yet become of the utmost importance in the supplying of the yellow metal to the nation. What is needed here, as well as in the west, is a better and larger class of educated mining experts for the direction and operating of every manner of mines that the country embraces.

The terms of Congress Tate's bill are devised to produce a steady supply of such experts, who, as prospectors, developers and directors will soon enhance the mining industries of the nation to the consequence that will make it reasonable to give them a department and a cabinet representative.

What a Subscriber Thinks About the Negro.

EDITOR NUGGET:

I have just read the announcement of Hon. E. W. Watkins for congress. While I am not personally acquainted with, and know him only by his record in the legislature, yet in his platform I am of the opinion, he has struck the key note of the race problem. That is, the separation of the race. We would not advocate the deportment of the old slaves, who were faithful during the war, but since the war there has sprung up a new race born in freedom, and with a little education, think themselves as good, or better than the white man and want to hold office, &c. The U. S. congress never made a greater blunder than putting the ballot in the hands of the negroes and allowing them to hold office; this is a white man's government, and the superior rule must rule. Let the negro rule a negro but never let a negro try to rule a white man. As Mr. Watkins says, "Any man who thinks and looks ahead can see nothing but trouble in trying to keep two separate and distinct races in harmony together, and the only rational solution of the question is separation." Many of us old citizens can remember when the Indians had to give up these mountains and gold fields to the white man, because the white race is superior.

The government, in trying to humillitate the south, has passed laws disgraceful to every white citizen of the United States, and I think the time is ripe to repeal the most obnoxious amendments to the constitution. Equality of the two races in the south is an utter impossibility. I do not care how highly a negro is educated he cannot change his skin, and will have to bow in humble submission to the rule of the white man or leave the country. A president may invite a Booker Washington to dine with him, but we, of the south never do such silly things and the negroes do not expect it. So I think it time to begin to agitate and discuss the separation of the races. Some may think it would work a hardship on the south to give up the negro labor, but if you will stop to think a moment

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the old slave labor has all or nearly so, passed away. The new free negro is so unreliable and unsatisfactory, the south would be the gainer to have them removed and their places filled with industrious German and Irshmen. With new brains, energy and industry of the Irish and Germans, the south would soon be made to bloom and blossom as the rose. We need them, but the negro of the south keep them from coming among us. There must be room for the poor negro some where to work out their own salvation, and I think our next congressman should introduce a bill to have all negroes born since 1865, removed to some of our new posessions.

ROBT. HOMES.

Wants a Dry Campaign.

ED. NUGGET:

I thought while the year 1903 was going out, and the new year, 1904 coming in and going to bring an election of some one to fill every office from president on down to malitia district bailiffs, that I would make a suggestion or two. But the one I am going to dwell on is our representative on down. As a father, and in fact every school boy in the county can see the need of a dry ticket. I mean a prohibition race, such as our old friend Joseph Brown run for treasurer. The people know him and the kind of a race he made. Now, Mr. Editor, why can't the chairman of the democratic party call a mass meeting through both papers and not only say come, but request all the people in the grand old county of Lumpkin to meet in the court house on a day set a part and see what can be done, and I fully believe that there will not a single vote be cast against a prohibition election. We have all seen the evil of using liquor in elections, and will see more and more unless the people come forward and vote it down in a mass meeting. Some will say that it doesn't hurt me. But good people, let me say that it hurts us all, from the greatest to the least. We see the evil of it every day, and especially before each election. And just after it is a calm after a storm sure enough.

It is too bad on the young and rising generation. As I said, let the good people, both democrats and republicans join in and put down treating and carrying the elections in a jug, as some say. For our sake, for the sake of our children, let us join hand in hand and put it out of the election one time. Let's have 1904 a dry political year for Lumpkin county, and other counties will see the good that will follow. We might have just three days court instead of six, and that time would not be taken up on whiskey and pistol cases.

VOTER.

Six years ago, on the 4th of this month, we started the publication of the NUGGET under its present management. Although it had been said by its former publisher that two papers could not thrive in Dahlonega, we kept steadily at work till it is now the leading paper of this county and is read by hundreds of subscribers every week.

Will Shipp and Clarence Cantrell are both dead, as the result of a shooting affray near Dallis, Ga., a few days ago.

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At New Orleans cotton reached the 14 cents mark this week.

In Atlanta merchants who sell guns and pistols to minors will be prosecuted.

Peter Vickers, the wealthiest negro in Georgia, who resided in Coffee county is dead. He owned 80,000 acres of land and was worth something like $60,000.

Brown & Co. of Oglethorpe have purchased 6,000 acres of pine timber in Decatur county from Mr, Ben Drew and will erect a large saw mill plant on it at once. The purchase price of the timber is said to be $25,000.

News comes from Gainesville that a posse are in pursuit of two desperate brothers, who use to reside in Hall county named Armour. They left for Alabama some time ago on account of some evil doing. There it is said they killed several negroes and large rewards are offered for them. They carry loaded guns and are ready for trouble at any time. They burglarized houses in Banks county some few days ago and shot and fatally wounded Mr. Y. Patterson, and it is supposed that it was these young men who looted the store of Mr. Grant at Alta, and they may be the parties who broke into Parks & Bowens' store this week in Lumpkin county.

Try for Health

222 South Peoria St.,
CHICAGO, ILL., Oct. 7, 1902.

Eight months ago I was so ill that I was compelled to lie or sit down nearly all the time. My stomach was so weak and upset that I could keep nothing on it and I vomited frequently. I could not urinate without great pain and I coughed so much that my throat and lungs were raw and sore. The doctors pronounced it Bright's disease and others said it was consumption. It mattered little to me what they called it and I had no desire to live. A sister visited me from St. Louis and asked me if I had ever tried Wine of Cardui. I told her I had not and she bought a bottle. I believe that it saved my life. I believe many women could save much suffering if they but knew of its value.

Georgia Dunbar

Don't you want freedom from pain? Take Wine of Cardui and make one supreme effort to be well. You do not need to be a weak, helpless sufferer. You can have a woman's health and do a woman's work in life. Why not secure a bottle of Wine of Cardui from your druggist today?

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SHERIFF'S SALES.

Georgia, Lumpkin County.

Will be sold before the court house door of the county of Lumpkin, on the 1st Tuesday in January next, within the legal hours of sale to the highest bidder for cash, the following property to-wit:

The farming interest in and to lot of land number 165, in the 11th district of originally Hall now Lumpkin county, Georgia. Levied on as the property of Mrs. Louisa Crisson by virtue of and to satisfy an attachment fi. fa. issued from the Justices Court of the 837th District, G. M., of said county, in favor of The Frank W. Hall Mdse Company, H. D. Ingersoll, bearer, vs. the said Mrs. Lovisa Crisson. Levy made and returned to me by by E. Carroll, L. C. This the 2nd day of Dec. 1903.

J. M. DANIS, Sheriff.

The bridge which connects Brooklyn and New York, was formally dedicated last Saturday. It cost $20,000,000 and required more than seven years to build it.

Chairman Pledger has issued a call for the Republican State Central Committee to meet in Atlanta, Dec. 31, for the purpose of designating a time and place for the meeting of the republican state convention.

Shingles Wanted.

75,000 shingles wanted at Porter Springs, to be delivered by May 1st, 1904. Address.

HENRY P. FARROW,
Gainesville, Ga.

Blanks For Sale

At the NUGGET office you will find the following blanks:

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Mortgage Deeds,
Mortgage Notes, Mortgage Frfas
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Common Leases,
Miner's Leases,
Criminal Warrants,
Peace Warrants,
Options,
Power of Attorney,
Witness Summons,
J. P. Summons,
Justice's Court Fifas,
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Constable's advertisements,
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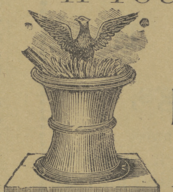

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Local News.

Christmas eve gift.

We have been sick a few days this week but here is your NUGGET all the same.

It is reported here that Mr. J. V. Harbison, formerly of Dahlonega but now of Gainesville, will likely be that city's chief of police.

We are glad to learn that some of our farmers are reading Prof. Davis' weekly letters in the NUGGET and gaining much valuable information by so doing.

It's not often that you see or hear of snakes being found in this country in December, but nevertheless a friend of ours killed one the 14th inst, ten inches long.

The weather is quite changeable. Sunday before last the day was warm and pleasant enough for grasshoppers to be out. And last Sunday we had snow and sleet.

A subscriber at Kansas City, Mo., had this to say about the NUGGET in renewing his subscription last week: "Wishing you abundant success in the good work you are accomplishing, and congratulating you on the splendid paper you are publishing, I remain, &c."

As stated last week, it had been reported here that Mr. S. A. Kelley had died not long ago in Texas, but after we made mention last week of hearing from him it was right interesting to hear Messrs. J. B. Brown and John W. Walden, two of his old comrades in the Confederate war, sit in the court house Saturday and tell both the pleasures and hardships the three had experienced.

Our new subscribers for the present month are located at the following places: Dahlonega, Porter Springs, Ga.; Randa, Ga.; Walnut, Ga.; New Bridge, Ga.; Two Run, Ga.; Muskrat, Wyo.; Bound Brook, N. J.; Saugerties, N. Y.; Charlottville, Va.; Worcester, Mass.; Quincy, Ill.; Carbondale, Pa.; Baltimore, Md.; Altoona, Pa.; Adel, Iowa.; Irwin, Va.; Houses, N. J.; Spencer, Mass.; Bitteford, Me.; Norfalk, Va.; Chattanooga, Tenn.; Quebec, Ga.

Mr. Aaron Caldwell, formerly of this county, but now of Pickens, came over after Lester Cavender and Nelius Goodlock last Saturday, who had been arrested on a warrant sent to the city marshal here for their capture. There are three warrants against Cavender. One for assault with intent to murder and two for misdemeanor. The one against Nelious is for misdemeanor of some kind. Mr. Caldwell is now deputy sheriff of Pickens and is making a good officer, so we are told.

The boys tell a good one on Mr. Wilks Loggins, who resides in the neighborhood of the Turkey Hill Mine. His house is high off of the ground and the other night, after the family had retired, a yearling made its way under the premises, and when its horns began to strike the floor Wilks, feeling so confident that it was a burglar under the bed, lit out much quicker than it takes to tell it and was soon hold of a double barrel shot-gun. The night was very cool but the man hastened around in the house before learning what it was till he was plenty warm, although clad in nothing but his night robe.

At the mayor and aldermen's election last Saturday R. H. Baker received 76, and Vickery, Smith, Townsend and McKee were given 75 each for aldermen. The republicans who took such an active part in the mass meeting, trying to defeat a portion of the ticket, didn't come out to vote at all, with but one exception. This should be a warning hereafter to all democrats, for the republicans will use you as a cat's paw and if they fail to accomplish their purpose in the mass meeting they take no part in the election whatever, yet they injure politically, the democrat who will allow his name to be used by them on such occasions.

The colored folks are going to have a Christmas tree.

Mr. Wm. Wehunt died in this county a few days ago, aged 83.

Most of the studends are at home to spend Christmas with their parents.

Yesterdays mail brought us a batch of twenty subscribers at one pop.

Mr. Tom McAfee was wedded yesterday to Miss Gertrude Shelton of Thomaston, Ga.

Mr. Charlie Moore is going down to Milner, Ga., to do business for Mr. W. M. Rice.

Prof. and Mrs. Vickery left last Friday for Hartwell, where they will spend Christmas with relatives.

Uncle Newt Alston, that good old time preacher, was in Dahlonega last Friday shaking hands with his many friends here.

FOR SALE.—A yoke of cattle 5 years old, weighing about 1,000 pounds each. Apply to R. C. Payne, Dahlonega, Ga. 2t

It's right funny that some people will post their own lands and at the same time go out and hunt on other peoples, showing that they have no use for the golden rule.

Lester Cavender was arrested last Thursday by City Marshal Walker and placed in jail on a warrant sent him from Pickens county, charging the defendant with assault with intent to murder.

Mr. Ephram Kitchen, who resided near the line of Lumpkin and Dawson counties, died very suddenly the other day. He was sitting in a chair enjoying his usual health when the summons of death came.

The baptizing that was to have occurred here last Sunday was indefinitely postponed on account of the unpleasant weather. The date will be fixed at some future time when the weather is more favorable.

Mr. Harvie Kilgo and Miss Nancy Montgomery were pronounced husband and wife by Rev. J. W. Rider last week. By her marriage, the lady makes her own brother and sister her uncle and aunt. The young man is from Jackson county.

Some of our Randa subscribers have been complaining of not receiving their NUGGETS regularly. We will endeavor to find where the fault lies, as they are carried to the post office here in time for them to reach that place in the afternoon every Thursday.

We were shown a couple of watches in the jeweler shop the other day that are no doubt a hundred years old. There has been nothing like them manufactured for many years. They were in the possession of Uncle John Simmons of this county, when he died.

Last Saturday we were shown a letter from W. H. Cook, Jr., who has been gone from Dahlonega many years and believed to be dead. He is in the hospital at Los Angels, Cal., with both legs broken, caused by the fall of an elevator. He had only returned from the Philippine Islands a short time ago, where he had been five years. He didn't know where his folks were at and wrote a letter hoping that it would fall into the hands of some of them, and sure enough it did.

As stated last week this will be the last issue of the NUGGET until the 7th day of January, 1904, it being the custom in the south for country editors to take a week off during Christmas. Right here we wish to return thanks to all our friends for the liberal support they have given the NUGGET during the past twelve months. We have done our best to please by giving you an interesting paper and we feel confident from the patronage received that we have succeeded. We now bid you adie for 1903 and wish one and all a merry Christmas.

Prof. and Mrs. Steed are spending Christmas at Macon.

When stealing our office wood please don't take that already cut.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ricketts visited Harmony Grove, Ga., last week.

On Saturday we had rain, sleet and icicles, which reminded us very much of winter,

Mr. Eli Jackson returned from an extended visit down the country last Monday.

Mr. Eli Jones, after an absence of many months from Dahlonega, paid the city a visit last week.

Mr. Price Charters, after an absence of some time, returned home last Saturday to spend Christmas.

Quite a number of our patrons have renewed their subscription this week, and will read the NUGGET weekly during 1904.

They even want the NUGGET in the Philippine Islands. Lieut. S. A. Harris, in renewing his subscription this week adds: "Just keep sending the NUGGET to the same address."

H. C. Shelnut of White county, who is charged with selling the poison liquor you have heard about, was arrested in White county the other day on a warrant sent up from the sheriff of this county.

Some one passed a counterfeit silver dollar off on the tax collector of this county last week. It was turned over to U. S. Com. Baker, who will make an effort to find out who it is passing such coins here.

Some one called for us over the phone last Tuesday evening at Sweetwater, Tenn., but before we could reply nothing more could be heard from them. It may be that they either fainted or jumped on the train and left.

Charlie Rice, who has been down in Alabama for several months, returned home to spend Christmas last week. While on the train asleep, Charlie says he had the misfortune of getting his pockets picked to the amount of $45.

Mr. G. H. McGuire, the jeweler, expects to move to Dawson county on the 15th of January. If you have any work wished to be done in his line bring it in, and if you have any at his shop you are requested to call for same, else it will be sold for charges.

Mr. G. H. Brehmer, at Coundersport, Pa., in renewing his subscription to the NUGGET speaks in the following complimentary manner about it: "Please do not let it run out. Send it along. I do not want to lose any of them. I came near forgetting when my time expired."

The company that received Harris Postell, just after court here, has written time and again to the sheriff that he is not wanted on account of not being able to do manuel labor, owing to severe burns received several months ago. What will be done with him we do not know.

Last week Com. Baker disposed of the following defendants, to-wit: Geo. Grogan and Wm. Lee of Dawson county, were bound over, having been found operating an illicit distillery. Auther Hulsey and Lark Anderson of Lumpkin county, were also found violating the same law, all of whom were asked to make bond or go to jail.

Elsewhere will be found a sensible article on the subject of candidates using liquor in elections, the author suggesting that some steps be taken to prevent it. This is a good move and we hope it will be given attention, for if a man has a notion of making a race in this county he generally has to calculate his liquor bill to be from one to two hundred and fifty dollars. The executive committee could easily regulate this, by causing all candidates to obligate themselves not to use liquor during the campaign, and if one is found doing so to drop his name from the roll and put out another man to fill his place.

Prof. Hiller is taking Christmas in Savannah.

Don't forget those nice Christmas goods at W. P. Price, Jr.

Both Porter Springs and Macedonia churches are going to have a Christmas tree.

Tax Collector Walden closed his book last Monday and issued fi. fas. against all defaulters.

We regret to learn that Mr. James Corbin, a former citizen of this county, died a few days ago.

Col. W. A. Charters went down to Atlanta this week to argue two cases before the Supreme court.

The merchants are retailing corn meal at 70 and 80 cents per bushel. The ones not advertising sell the highest.

The sermon delivered by the young minister from Blue Ridge last Sunday, was said to be very interesting.

Meaders & Sons will leave shortly after Christmas with a lot of mules for the lower country. So will Mr. J. M. Brooksher.

Many of our citizens are scarce of well water on account of the extreme dry weather we have had during the summer and winter.

WANTED.—A car load of mules, from four to eight years old.

J. M. BROOKSHER,
Dahlonega, Ga.

If you want something real nice for a Christmas present call at the Drug Store, where you will find something for both old and young.

Those who have registered in this county by proxy had better come in and be present when their names are entered, even if they can't write.

Up to the 21 the tax collector and his assistants received the tax money. Now the bailiffs are doing and it costs each defaulter one dollar extra, and more later on.

Oranges, nuts, candies, dried apples and peaches, eggs, fresh crackers, Quaker oats, cocoa, English breakfast tea, Uno coffee. Remember we carry a full line of fancy groceries. F. L. REESE.

It was believed by some a few days ago that no new teacher would be elected to assist in teaching the public school at Dahlonega, nevertheless the board of trustees here thought differently and elected Miss Anno Worley of this place, which is a wise selection.

Mr. W. S. Chastain, who left Union county 29 months ago for Texas, dropped into see us yesterday morning. He says the Lone Star state is a great country and will return for the purpose of making it his permanent home, provided his family is willing to go.

On Tuesday night some one broke into the store of Parks & Bowen, out at Garland post office in this county, and carried off a shot gun, coats, shoes, hats and other articles. The party or parties who did it are on dangerous ground as the post office is in the same building, which will cause Uncle Sam to take a hand in the matter.

Marshal Grizzle has been putting in pretty good time for the past few days in search of blockaders and their stills, having been quite successful, which will doubtless cause Christmas drams to be scarce in some sections. He captured 4 in Nimblewill district this week, as follows and carried them before Com. Baker: John K. Mincy, Ollie Mincy, Charles Magness and Thomas Howell. All were bound over except Ollie Mincy.

It is hoped that the city council next year will change the ordinance in reference to street taxes, so as not to force good laborers to work out their taxes at 50 cents a day. It is not justice, and we for one are opposed to it. Allow a hand what he is worth. Don't force him to either pay the money or labor at thirty cents a day less than the custom of the country. The road law is a hardship on all poor people anyway.

Marshal's Report.

The Marshal's report of Dahlonega for November is as follows:

Sanitary tax - -	$ 3.75
City tax property - -	16.27
Street tax - - -	8.96
Fines and cost - -	26.00
Amount street tax worked	9.00

Randa Dots.

The community grieves the loss of two old citizens, Bill Wehunt who died last Thursday, and Dave Brooks who died last Sunday night. The former was buried at New Hope and the latter at Methodist Nimblewill.

There is no body married yet, but one is expected soon.

The N. Dra. Cl. will give an entertainment at the school house next Saturday night. They play "Uncle Lewis Cobin." They show the treatment of the "negro in the 50's." Admission, 10 and 5 cents. Everybody come.

Of Interest to Many Citizens of Lumpkin County.

Congressman Tate introduced a number of bills in the House of Representatives last week of special interest. One provides that only the real valuable government publications be given to the colleges. As the law is now nearly all the publications received by southern colleges are practically worthless. Mr. Tate also introduced a bill relating to the prosecution of offenders against the internal revenue laws. This provides that in all cases where the offender against the law is a small distiller of not more than 150 proof gallons he may give bond upon seizure and go on with his business pending trial. That is the practice in dealing with larger establishments. The bill also provides that in small cases where the fine is light and the imprisonment is less than one year such cases may be tried before a United States commissioner and the place of confinement may be in the nearest county jail. Mr. Tate also introdued a bill for a public building at Gainesville. In the last congress Mr. Tate secured an appropriation for a site which has since been purchased. He is now after a $100,000 appropriation for the building.—Cherokee Advance.

Kill or "Croak" in Effort.

A letter was received at the New Holland post office Monday addressed to "the head men of the red men." The communication was bristling with venomous profanity and threats directed against certain members of the I. O. R. M., which has a flourishing tribe at New Holland composed of some of the best men of that community.

The anonymous writer sent the missive from Cleveland. He says some of the Red Men have been reporting their stills, and asserts that the moonshiners will "kill or croak" in their effort to get even with the reporters. He says they have deprived him of a good living, and bitterly curses the alleged reporters.

For some time past a liquor wagon from the mountains has made weekly visits on Saturday nights to New Holland, and while it is not known that any Red Men particularly has taken special pains to prosecute or report the business, the order is opposed to the illicit traffic.

The letter, which is one which federal law forbids to be sent in the mails, was turned over to U. S. Commissioner Gaston, and if the writer can be discovered he may have several charges to answer for before Uncle Sam's court. —Gainesvile Eagle.

Notice.

Parties indebted to me must come and make satisfaction, or I will put their notes and accounts out for collection.

M. N. STOW.

Mining Notes.

Up at the Gorge the dam is in a condition to be able to stand most any freshet that may come without any damages being sustained.

Mr. Wharton Anderson of the Calhoun mine, was in Dahlonega last Sunday and reported work progressing successfully down there as usual.

Mr. W. T. Bryson is still prospecting on the Turkey Hill property with good results. He showed us a couple of nuggets recently discovered last Saturday. The smallest weighed fifteen grains and the largest, one pennyweight and a half.

Hands are engaged now in cleaning up the machinery at Crown Mountain power plant, getting ready to resume work at the mine by about the first of the year as it is hoped that enough rain will fall by that time to enable them to go right a head with the work till the Gorge power is completed.

The McAfee Lin mine is producing better results than were at first expected. When the water was turned on the mill last week, the officials were present and kept an account of a few hours run, cleaned up and ascertained exactly the value of the ore. On this ten stamp mill after a run of 82 hours only they cleaned up and burned off 165 pennyweights of pure gold.

In a conversation with an old miner recently he had this to say about the Josephine Mine: "With pick and pan I have prospected the Josephine for days, and I can truthfully say it's a wonderful mine. It contains three hundred and twenty acres, and if it was located in the great western mining country it would make sixteen mining claims." It is so well adapted to hydraulic mining the hills rise on all sides of the Etowah River and the river forms a horse-shoe in it, winding through the property and must be rich in gold that has been washed down from the many veins for ages. Capt. Lilly's father once took out gold enough in one day to pay fourteen hundred dollars near the run. This is but one of the many rich finds that has been made on this property which is on the famous Pigeon Roost belt. Is only a mile from the Barlow Mine, being in the same mineral zone. Old Uncle Jimmy Wood, who died only a short time ago, at Auraria, Ga., mined on this property and took out slugs of gold nearly half as large as a man's hand from the hill side below the McCleskey branch. Many living here today can testify to the same, having seen the gold as taken out. If this is a sample of the richness of the surface findings what will be the result of the larger lodes? After the hydraulic works are completed one man with a giant can bring down more material in one day than five hundred men could dig out in the same time from under ground. The old primative way of mining brought profit to the workers of mines, but when the gigantic plans of the company are carried out great will be the result. Time will soon tell, for by January 15th the mill will begin to drop its stamps and that will demonstrate to all the values in the ores. At the same time the mill is being run on dry ore, the reservoir, ditch and pipe lines will be laid, and the mammoth hydraulic pump installed, which will throw the water from the Etowah River three hundred reet on Logan hill where it will be stored, for the pipe lines to carry to the giants, when they will begin tearing down the mountains and convey their precious values to the mill. This last week has been a busy one at the Josephine. Eleven loads of lumber arrived in one day, more men have been working on the dam and work is being pushed as rapidly as possible, and if no heavy rains come will be finished in two weeks. Last week's NUGGET should have said that the cost of mining these ores when the work is completed twenty cents per ton instead of 70 cents.

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"I was terribly afflicted with nervous trouble for nearly four years. I was so bad at times that I could not help myself, nor carry a chair across the room without giving out. One physician attended me for a year and a half without giving me any help whatever and I also doctored with two others without any good results. My father and others wished me to try Dr. Miles' Nervine which, after lots of coaxing I did. I took six bottles of the Nervine and some of the Nerve and Liver Pills. I was completely cured of my trouble and I heartily recommend it to any woman who is suffering from a nervous disorder. I have used Dr. Miles' Anti-Pain Pills for headache and neuralgia with best results. I believe firmly in the efficacy of the Nerve and Liver Pills and am fully convinced that Dr. Miles' Remedies saved my life."—MRS. HATTIE GRABILL, Roanoke, Va.

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A physician of experience in examining candidates for civil service places tells of one man who came up year after year and was always found one-half inch below the required height, says the Boston Herald. One day the doctor, who had come to know the fellow by sight, found him measuring up to the full standard. He could hardly believe his eyes.

"Don't I know you?" he inquired. "Have not you been here repeatedly before?"

"Yes sir."

"And been rejected?"

"Yes sir."

"What for"

"Too short, sir."

"Well, how does it happen that you are tall enough now?"

The candidate, with creditable candor, explained that he had learned that a man's stature was longest after he had lain abed a good while and got stretced out, as it were. So, when this examination was approaching, he had gone to bed and stayed there for four days in succession, then risen and hurried, in fifteen minutes, to the examination room, where, by shrewd timing, he got in ahead of lot of other candidates, and was measured before his frame had settled down again of its own weight.

As restrictions are not made for trifling fractions, and this candidate had not only shown resourceful ingenuity, but had told the truth about it, he was passed.

A Weekly Letter.

Did you ever stop to think what an untiring and steady letter writer a good local paper is? Week after week it goes on, reaching out into the years, telling of marriages, births, deaths, the coming and going of the people, the successes, the changes, accidents, crops, improvements, parties, revival meetings, socials—in fact events of all kinds. All is grist that comes to the hopper of a newspaper. Why, if you were to undertake to write a letter each week to an absent friend and tell half the news your local paper gives, you would soon give up in despair. The Marietta Journal will do your letter writing for you for a year for two cents a week. Send the paper as a Christmas remembrance to a former resident here and you will find the gift most acceptable.—Marietta Journal. The NUGGET will do the same.

The report of the Secretary of War shows that we have an army of a little over 20,000 men on duty in the Philippines to teach those people the blessings on American freedom. In exact figures we have in the Philippines 15,510 men sent from the United States, 4,904 enlisted Philippine scouts and 2,807 hospital corps men. These figures foot up 23,221, which is the force we are sustaining in the Philippines. That is a pretty heavy force to sustain in a country that has been pacified a thousand or more times. Or was the pacification merely on paper?—Marietta Journal.

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stops the cough and heals lungs

Christmas Chuckles.

Santa Claus is the Christmas stock king.

Never look a Christmas cigar in the wrapper.

A green Christmas makes a thin coal dealer.

A stocking by the chimney is worth two on the feet.

The most popular Christmas presence—Santa Claus.

A stocking with a hole in it catches no Christmas gifs.

Icy sidewalks show which way the Christmas slipper goes.

Christmas is present time that should always prove pastime.

As the Christmas tree is bent, so are the presents inclined.

Christmas plum pudding is the stuff of which nightmares are made.

It isn't the largest stocking that catches the most valuable Christmas gifts.

The Christmas stocking of a prodigal son is not always filled with a fatted calf.

The mantal of Christmas charity is more conducive to comfort than a fur-lined circular.

Why Ralph Edward Objected.

Ralph was a great big boy, nearly three years of age, and had never received a name, being called "Baby," "Pet," "Love," etc. Finally the name for the small man was decided upon, and dressed in his Sunday best, he went to church with father and mother, where he was to be baptized. As the minister repeated "I baptize thee, Ralph Edward," he dipped his fingers into the font and touched the child's forehead with the shining drops. How important Ralph Edward felt! At last he was somebody.

By supper time his face was sadly in need of washing, but when mother started to wash her son's brow he cried out in dismay:

"Oh, don't wash my forehead! I'm 'fraid you'll wash my name away!"

Lost Humor.

Mark Twain was once asked by an English clerk in a London bookstore to write his autograph,

"My chirography is becoming less and less distinct," complained the author whimsically as he complied with the request. "If this keeps on I'll have to be getting somebody else to write my autograph for me."

"But sir," seriously responded the clerk, "nobody would want it then!"

The persistent efforts of the President in the Crum appointment is a possible indication that he does not forget his friends. He remembers no doubt the time when the negro soldiers saved him at Santiago.—Enquirer-Sun.

Arrangements have been made whereby all school books now in use can be exchanged for new ones of the same kind, the old books being taken from half to two-thirds the contract price of the new books.

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The following letter from A. J. Nusbaum, of Batesville, Ind., tells its own story: "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine, and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR, and eight doses cured me."

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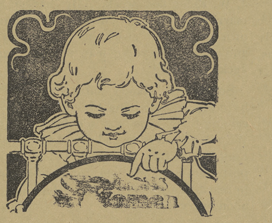

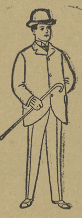

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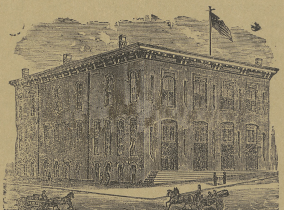

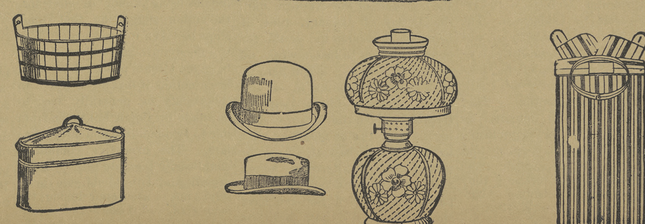

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